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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

Lloyd G. McCrum, Term expires 1959
C. Victor Pepper, Term expires 1960
Herbert A. Pickard, Term expires 1961

Board of Public Welfare

Board of Health and Fence Viewers

C. Victor Pepper	Herbert A. Pickard
Lloyd G. McCrum	

Water Commissioners

C. Victor Pepper	Herbert A. Pickard
Lloyd G. McCrum	

Town Clerk

Mortimer C. Dennett

Treasurer

Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr.

Assistant Treasurer

J. Mason Washburn

Tax Collector

Shirley E. Holmes

Assessors

Alfred A. Norman, Term expires 1959
Charles R. Cox, Term expires 1960
Perry MacNevin, Term expires 1961

School Committee

Ann P. Thibault, Term expires 1959
 Arthur S. Wilson, Term expires 1960
 John W. Hutchinson, Term expires 1961

Trustees of Public Library

Henry Billings, 2nd, Term expires 1959
 Robert Whitman, Term expires 1960
 Jeanne B. Ammen, Term expires 1961

Road Commissioners

Ronald C. Taylor, Term expires 1959
 Perry MacNevin, Term expires 1960
 Robert D. Donley, Term expires 1961

Park Commissioners

Robert D. Marso, Term expires 1959
 L. Marshall Newell, Term expires 1960
 Thomas H. West, Term expires 1961

Commissioners of Trust Funds

William K. Child, Term expires 1959
 Eben S. Draper, Term expires 1960
 James H. Richardson, Term expires 1961

Constables

George D. Ardill
 Albert E. Bonin

W. Chester Sanborn

Alfred K. Hixon
 Thomas F. Malloy

Planning Board

Horace H. Beaudet, Term expires 1959
 John R. Cicchetti, Term expires 1960
 Edward L. Condon, Term expires 1961
 Charles J. Mongeon, Term expires 1962
 Arthur H. Fitzgerald, Term expires 1963

Tree Warden

W. Chester Sanborn

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN

Clerk of Selectmen

Eunice T. Goodwin

Town Accountant

Millard A. Lovejoy

Finance Committee

Robert D. Donley, Term expires 1959
 Elmer I. Goddard, Term expires 1959
 *Arthur C. Young, Term expires 1959
 Claude F. Snider, Term expires 1960
 James H. Richardson, Term expires 1960
 George A. Mongiat, Term expires 1960
 Eben S. Draper, Term expires 1961
 Hamilton W. Thayer, Term expires 1961
 Ralph B. Jackson, Term expires 1961

* Appointed to fill unexpired term of Lloyd G. McCrum,
 resigned

Board of Appeals

William B. Gannett, Term expires 1959
 Virgil Fiori, Term expires 1960
 Frederick M. Fitzgerald, Term expires 1961

Engineers of Fire Department

Charles A. Watson, Chief
 Arnold F. Nealley, Deputy Chief
 Waina M. Erickson, Deputy Chief

Forest Fire Warden

Charles A. Watson

Police Officers

Thomas F. Malloy—Chief

Waldo Ackley
 Cameron Allen
 George D. Ardill
 Ernest Barton
 John Bebeau
 Archibald E. Beck
 Bayard Bell
 Joseph Bibeau
 Albert E. Bonin
 George Boyd
 Leon Bourget
 Elmer Bradley
 James E. Brown
 Roger Burns
 Peter Costello
 Chester W. Cox
 Roy Cutter
 John A. Dawe
 James DeLorey
 Charles H. Dillon
 Frank DiVittorio
 Lucien Dubois
 Freddie Earle
 William Earl
 Alphonse Fruit
 Raymond Gaffney
 William Gannett
 Alfred Gaulin
 Ellsworth Gifford
 Madison H. Goff
 Alexander Gorondy
 Edgar H. Hall
 James Henneberry
 William Hewson

Alfred K. Hixon
 Harry Hovey
 Earl Killion
 Fred L. Knox
 Gerard Lavergne
 Francis LeBlanc
 George Lemon
 Augusto Lucciarini
 Carl Martinangelo
 Lester McCully
 Raymond McGee
 Kenneth McGill
 Perry MacNevin
 Arthur Midgley
 James Mohan
 Thomas Moore
 Joseph Morin
 Robert Pierce
 Alson M. Papineau
 C. Victor Pepper
 Anthony Perry
 Victor Person
 William S. Rafter
 Allen Reed
 Roy Rehbein
 Albert Rizzi
 Lee Robbins
 Arthur Rockwood
 Otis Rose
 William Roscoe
 Marshall Sanborn
 W. Chester Sanborn
 William Sainio
 Emil Selent

Harland Seymour
 Hugh Smith
 Fred Sprague
 Carl Stanas
 Robert Stevens
 F. Wilder Temple

Russell Tiffany
 Charles A. Watson
 Roy E. Westcott
 Frank White
 Richard Williams
 Warren Williams

Dog Officer

W. Chester Sanborn

Registrars of Voters

Earl E. Killion, Term expires 1959
 John J. Creamer, Term expires 1960
 Edgar J. Markham, Term expires 1961
 Mortimer C. Dennett, Clerk

Lock-up Keeper

Thomas F. Malloy

Superintendent of Insect Pest Control

W. Chester Sanborn

Measurers of Lumber

Arthur Midgley	Charles Sawler	Wilfred G. Nichols
James McGrath	Henry Roberts	

Measurers of Wood and Bark

Edgar H. Hall	William Francis
Roy E. Westcott	Ronald C. Taylor
M. Russell Dennett	

Public Weighers

Michael Marseglia	Irving Janock
M. Russell Dennett	Joseph Rosenfeld
James Carrachino	Edgar H. Hall
Benjamin Green	Mildred Irving
John Clark	Harry Rosenfeld
Ronald C. Taylor	Winifred R. Kelley
Charles Selima	Wilfred Tessier

Weighers of Coal

Ronald C. Taylor
Mildred Irving

Edgar H. Hall
M. Russell Dennett

Winifred R. Kelley

Inspector of Wires

Frank V. Perry

Inspector of Animals

W. Chester Sanborn

Inspector of Slaughtering

W. Chester Sanborn

Sealer of Weights and Measures

W. Chester Sanborn

Town Counsel

Gordon A. Shaw

Director of Veterans' Services

Charles A. Watson

Welfare Social Worker

Eunice T. Goodwin

Health Officer

John R. Cicchetti, M.D.

*Burial Agent of Deceased Soldiers and Sailors and Agent to See
Veterans' Graves are Suitably Kept and Cared For*

Napier Scribner

Agent of Board of Health to Sign Burial Permits

Mortimer C. Dennett

APPOINTED BY ASSESSORS

Assistant Assessors

Dorothy E. Taylor

Edna L. Alves

Amy S. Dewar

APPOINTED BY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Superintendent of Schools

Donald S. Dow

Attendance Officers

W. Chester Sanborn

Thomas F. Malloy

George D. Ardill

School Physician

John R. Cicchetti, M. D.

School Nurse

Grace V. Moran, R. N.

APPOINTED BY REGISTRARS

Assistant Registrars

Helen L. Allen

Frances W. Webster

APPOINTED BY PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Librarian

Irene H. Ferguson

Assistant Librarian

Marjorie E. Hattersley

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

TOWN RECORD

1958

TOWN WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of January next, punctually at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To hear reports of any or all committees.

Article 2. To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of Charles River, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to exchange with Draper Corporation, a certain parcel of land at the corner of Chapel and Hopedale Streets, for a parcel of land at the Corner of Adin and Hopedale Streets, or to take any action in relation thereto.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of a proposed agreement respecting the restrictions affecting the use of the premises of the General Draper High School, and the land appurtenant thereto, or to take any action in relation thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Planning Board as provided for under General Laws (Tercentenary Edition) Chapter 41, Section 81-A, or to take any action in relation thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of the Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, this 2nd Day of January A.D., 1958.

C. VICTOR PEPPER
HERBERT A. PICKARD
LLOYD G. McCRUM
Selectmen of Hopedale

Attest:

THOMAS F. MALLOY
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, January 14, 1958.

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies, in four public places, in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

THOMAS F. MALLOY
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING — JANUARY 14, 1958.

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, met in Town Hall, and punctually at seven-thirty o'clock P. M. were called to order by the Moderator, Edwin A. Howard of said Town. The moderator requested the Town Clerk to read the Warrant. The Town Clerk proceeded to read the Warrant, and after the reading of Article ONE, Town Counsel, Judge Gordon A. Shaw moved to dispense with the reading of the Warrant as each voter present had a copy in their hands. The motion was carried.

Under Article 1 Judge Gordon A. Shaw moved that the Meeting take up Articles 2, 3, 4, and 5 before considering Article 1. Motion carried.

Article 2. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of Charles River, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and that the Selectmen be authorized to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

Article 3. By a 2/3 Vote: That the Town exchange with the Draper Corporation. a parcel of land located at the corner of Hopedale and Chapel Streets, said parcel being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the granted premises at a drill hole in the northeasterly line of Hopedale Street;

THENCE N. 57° 52' 40" E. and bounding on land of the Draper Corporation, 165.97 feet to a granite bound at other land of the Town of Hopedale;

THENCE S. $32^{\circ} 10' 15''$ E. and bounding on other land of the Town of Hopedale, 112.95 feet to the northwesterly line of Chapel Street;

THENCE S. $58^{\circ} 01' 10''$ W. along the northwesterly line of Chapel Street, 151.69 feet to a drill hole;

THENCE in a curve to the right with a radius of 14.95 feet, a distance of 23.54 feet to a drill hole in the northeasterly line of Hopedale Street;

THENCE N. $31^{\circ} 48' 21''$ W. along the northeasterly line of said Hopedale Street, 97.54 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing approximately 18,701 square feet.

in exchange for a parcel of land at the corner of Adin and Hopedale Streets, said parcel being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the granted premises at a point at the end of a granite curb in the northeasterly line of Hopedale Street, said point being the northwesterly corner of land of one Richardson;

THENCE N. $38^{\circ} 40' 05''$ W. along the northeasterly line of said Hopedale Street, 102 feet;

THENCE in a curve to the right with a radius of 30 feet, a distance of 47.12 feet to a point in the southeasterly line of Adin Street;

THENCE N. $51^{\circ} 19' 55''$ E. along the southeasterly line of said Adin Street, 137 feet, more or less, to other land of the Town of Hopedale;

THENCE S. $38^{\circ} 40' 05''$ and bounding on other land of the Town of Hopedale, 132 feet to a point;

THENCE S. $51^{\circ} 19' 55''$ W., 2 feet, more or less, to a granite bound;

THENCE continuing the same course and bounding on land of one Richardson, 165 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing approximately 21,850 square feet.
and that the Selectmen be authorized to sign, seal, acknowledge and deliver in behalf of the Town, a quitclaim deed of the first parcel above described, to Draper Corporation, and to accept a quitclaim deed from Draper Corporation of the second parcel above described, and to execute and deliver and accept any other instruments necessary to accomplish such exchange.

Article 4. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town accept the provisions of the proposed agreement with Margaret Preston Boncompagni, dated December 11, 1957, and that the Selectmen be authorized to execute and deliver said agreement in behalf of the Town.

Article 5. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town establish a Planning Board under General Laws, Tercentenary Edition, Chapter 41, Section 81-A, said board to consist of five members to be elected at the next Annual Town Meeting, one to serve for a term of five years, one to serve for a term of four years, one to serve for a term of three years, one to serve for a term of two years, and one to serve for a term of one year. At the expiration of each member's term, his successor shall be elected for a term of five years; further, that the board of Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to act as a Planning Board under said section until the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 6. Under Article ONE the Moderator called for reports from the Hope Street Bridge Committee, the School Planning Board Committee, the Planning Board Committee, and the By-Law Committee. These reports were accepted as indicating progress.

Mr. Henry L. Cyr suggested that the same School Planning Board Committee be continued and report again at the Annual Town Meeting in March, 1958, and asked if this Committee intended to come into the Annual Town Meeting with an Article to definitely state what is needed and intended for the new suggested school. Dr. John Cicchetti asks for some form of addition to the present High School, on a more limited

scale than suggested in the Committee's report, also in regard to the desired addition to the Memorial Elementary School.

On motion of Attorney Robert S. Phillips the Warrant was dissolved at 9:55 P. M.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF HOPEDALE PLANNING BOARD COMMITTEE

The investigation of the Committee into the feasibility of a Planning Board has determined the following facts which form the basis of the Committee's recommendation.

PURPOSE

The broad purpose of a Planning Board in any community is to provide for the sound and regulated development of the community including residential, commercial and industrial growth.

FUNCTIONS

Subdivision control: This relates to the division of land into lots where one or more of the lots do not have frontage on a public way. Regulations concerning subdivisions are adopted by a Planning Board and usually follow those recommended by the State. They are designed to require persons subdividing land where new streets are required to install adequate streets and municipal services for the benefit of the houses to be built. These regulations cover the location, construction, width and grade of proposed streets and installation of municipal services such as drainage and water. These regulations do not control the size, shape, width, frontage or use of lots within subdivisions or the buildings which may be constructed thereon.

Planning: In planning the sound growth of the community the Planning Board would investigate and make recommendations concerning zoning laws and building codes.

OPERATION

A Planning Board is composed of from five to nine members elected so that the term of at least one member expires each year. Public hearings are held before the adoption of any regulations and on all subdivision plans submitted for approval. A Board of Appeals must be established by the town by-laws. The only function of the Board of Appeals with respect to subdivision control is to issue building permits in hardship cases for the erection of buildings where a building permit has been refused by the Planning Board or other authority for failure to comply with subdivision control regulations.

ACCEPTANCE AND COSTS

Many towns in this area including Milford, Upton, Grafton and Uxbridge have established Planning Boards. Moreover, the State requires all towns over 10,000 population to have Planning Boards.

The normal annual cost of a Planning Board in small towns runs from \$200.00 to \$600.00. Special projects such as zoning preparations, consultants and map preparation can cost from \$1,000.00 to \$4,000.00.

RECOMMENDATION

It is the unanimous recommendation of the Committee that the voters of Hopedale adopt a Planning Board.

Hopedale Planning Board Committee

DR. JOHN R. CICCHETTI
ROBERT D. DONLEY
CHARLES J. MONGEON
C. VICTOR PEPPER
GERARD SWEENEY

Hopedale, Mass.

February 4, 1958

Selectmen C. Victor Pepper and Herbert A. Pickard, Deputy Sheriff Napier Scribner and Town Clerk, Mortimer C. Dennett, met this day at 1:30 P. M. and Selectman Herbert A. Pickard drew from the Juror Box the name of Leslie C. Childs, Retired, 14 Inman Street, to serve as Traverse Juror at all Sessions of our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester, for the transaction of Civil and Criminal business on Monday, March 3rd, 1958 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk.

Hopedale, Mass.

February 6, 1958

Selectmen C. Victor Pepper and Herbert A. Pickard, Deputy Sheriff Napier Scribner and Town Clerk, Mortimer C. Dennett, met this day at 2:00 P. M. and Selectman C. Victor Pepper drew from the Juror Box the name of Arthur W. Brown, Moulder retired, of 76 Freedom Street, to serve as Traverse Juror at all Sessions of our Superior Court to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Criminal Business on Monday, March 3, 1958 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss,

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday, the third day of March next, punctually at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon (the polls may be closed at 6:30 P. M. on said day of meeting) to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing, including the following officers: Moderator, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, one Selectman for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Road Commissioner for three years, one member of the School Committee for three years, one Library Trustee for three years, one Park Commissioner for three years, one Commissioner of Trust Funds for three years, five Constables, and a Tree Warden.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to hear and act upon the report of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, School Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department, and any other officers and committees of said Town.

Article 4. To see what salary and compensation the Town will allow each elected Town Officer for his services.

Article 5. To raise and appropriate or appropriate from any surplus or available funds in the treasury, such sum or sums of money as may be deemed necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1958, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1959, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1959.

Article 8. To see what disposition the Town will make of money refunded from the county on account of the dog tax.

Article 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 10. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Insect Pest Control.

Article 11. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the suppression of Dutch Elm Disease.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum or sums of money for a Reserve Fund.

Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars to meet its share of the cost of premiums of contributory group insurance for certain persons in the service of the Town, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, a sum or sums of money for the improvement of Dutcher Street, Chapter 90 Construction, to be expended under the supervision of the Selectmen, and to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the Town to enter into any contracts or agreements in regard to said improvements or construction, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum or sums of money for the Maintenance of Mendon Street, Chapter 90 Construction, to be expended under the supervision of the Selectmen, and to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the Town to enter into any contracts or agreements in regard to said Maintenance, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the conveyance of three certain parcels of Park Land situated off the westerly side of Dutcher Street and adjoining lands of one Tifft, one Perry and one Blatz, and to authorize the Selectmen to obtain necessary enabling legislation for such conveyances, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to repeal Article III, Section 14 of its By-Laws relative to the office of Town Auditor, by abolishing said office, and to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Accountant, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Hope Street Bridge Committee appointed under authority of the vote under Article 29 of the Warrant for the Annual Meeting of March 4, 1957, and to authorize said Committee to continue study of repairs to said Bridge, and to make a survey and obtain plans of traffic routes as alternates to said Hope Street Bridge, and to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available

funds, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars to meet the cost of such study, survey, and plans, the same to be expended under the direction of said Committee, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 42-G to 42-I of Chapter 40 relative to Levying special assessments for laying of water pipes, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Board of Appeals under General Laws (Tercentenary Edition) Chapter 41 Section 81-Z, and set the number of the members thereof, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Moderator to appoint a three-member Regional School District Planning Committee consisting of at least one member of the School Committee, to study the advisability of establishing a Regional School District as set forth in Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 71, Sections 14 to 161 inclusive, with any amendments thereto, or take any other action thereon.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote that the High School Building Planning Committee appointed under authority of Article 18 of the Warrant of the Town Meeting of March 4, 1957, be constituted a School Building Committee and that said Committee be authorized and empowered to engage an Architect to prepare Working Plans and Specifications for the construction of an addition to the General Draper High School Building, said Committee being authorized to advertise for public bids based on said plans and specifications, and to report back to the next Special or Annual Town Meeting, on the cost of construction thereof, and to see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose, or take any action in relation thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in

said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of the Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, this 12th day of February, A. D., 1958.

C. VICTOR PEPPER,
HERBERT A. PICKARD,
LLOYD G. McCRUM,

Selectmen of Hopedale

Attest:

THOMAS F. MALLOY,
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, March 3, 1958

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies, in four public places, in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

THOMAS F. MALLOY,
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING—MARCH 3, 1958

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, met in Town Hall, and punctually at nine o'clock in the forenoon were called to order by the Town Clerk of said Town, who read the Warrant and under:

Motion of Judge Gordon A. Shaw, and seconded, the complete reading of the Warrant was omitted.

Article 1. Mr. Edwin A. Howard was elected Moderator by the use of the secret ballot.

The Town Clerk appointed two Tellers to serve for this Town Meeting only; namely, Millard A. Lovejoy and Edward L. Condon.

Article 2. Voted: Unanimously, that we proceed with the election of Town Officers as set forth in Article 2, that the polls be closed at 6:30 P. M., and that the meeting be adjourned at such time until 7:30 P. M. to the Memorial Gymnasium at which time action shall be taken upon the remaining articles of the Warrant.

Adjourned Town Meeting was called to order promptly at 7:30 P.M. o'clock, March 3, 1958, by the Moderator, Edwin A. Howard. All persons in the gymnasium were qualified voters as per the check list.

Article 3. Voted: Unanimously, that the reading of all reports as printed in the Town Report be dispensed with, and that said reports be accepted as printed.

It was also Voted: That the reading of the Report of the Hopedale Town Finance Committee be dispensed with, and that the Report, as printed and distributed at this meeting, be received and placed in the records.

REPORT OF THE HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE

Mr. Moderator:

To the Citizens of the Town of Hopedale:

In accordance with its duty, as provided by Article XI of the By-Laws of the Town of Hopedale, the Finance Committee has given careful consideration to all Articles in the Town Warrant that involve the expenditure of money, and presents in this report its recommendations on such Articles. The Committee has obtained Information from and consulted with various departments and officials of the Town and believes that the appropriations it has recommended are the minimum amounts with which essential and necessary services can be rendered to the citizens.

One of the most important matters to be taken up at the Annual Town Meeting is the problem of additional school facilities under Articles 21 and 22. The Finance Committee has concurred with the position taken by the High School Building Planning Committee that Article 21 should be rejected and that affirmative action be taken under Article 22. With this in mind, the Finance Committee has recommended an appropriation of \$17,000.00 under Article 22, to cover the estimated cost of Working Plans and Specifications.

Also, if Article 22 is favorably acted upon by the Annual Town Meeting, it is contemplated that a Special Meeting will be called later to see if the Town will raise or appropriate funds for the school construction. It is our understanding that not all of the school construction or alteration costs can be raised by the issuance of bonds, so that a further sum out of the current year's tax revenues would be required.

It appears that a Special Meeting, if called, probably could not be held before the 1958 tax rate is fixed, so some provision

should be made for funds to be available for the appropriations at a Special Meeting. Accordingly the Finance Committee has deemed it advisable to recommend that a smaller than usual amount of available funds in the Treasury ("free cash") now be applied against the current appropriations. Ordinarily we would have approved the use of about \$32,500.00 of free cash at this time, but have now recommended only \$7,500.00 leaving \$25,000.00 for later use. If no Special Meeting is held or Article 22 is rejected there would, of course, be a larger amount of free cash carried over to 1959.

The effect on the 1958 tax rate of our recommendations related to Article 22 (\$17,000.00 for Plans and \$25,000.00 extra left in free cash) is estimated to be an increase of \$5.50.

The appropriations for 1958 recommended at this time by the Finance Committee amount to a total of \$626,850.00 as compared with \$624,547 last year. However, because of expected larger assessments by the county, smaller receipts of income taxes from the State and from motor vehicle taxes, and the smaller amount taken from free cash, the additional amount to be raised is \$62,353.00. This will require an estimated tax rate of \$54.25, an increase of \$7.75 from 1957.

The following condensed summary shows how the 1957 tax rate was determined and the estimated figures for 1958. It should be pointed out that the 1958 estimates appearing in the Report of the Town Accountant were of necessity preliminary figures, some of which were later revised by the departments or by suggestions of the Finance Committee.

		Estimate	Increase
Estimated Expenditures:	1957	for 1958	(Decrease)
Apropriations —			
budget items	\$567,847	\$588,650	\$ 20,803
Apropriations —			
Special Articles	56,700	38,200	(18,500)
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Total Appropriations	\$624,547	\$626,850	\$ 2,303

County and State assessments	\$ 48,666	\$ 59,831	\$ 11,165
Overlay for Tax Abatements	8,433	9,441	1,008
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Total Expenditures	\$681,646	\$696,122	\$ 14,476

Estimated Receipts:

State Income and Corpora- tion Taxes	147,008	140,355	(6,653)
Motor Vehicle Ex. Tax	48,951	43,487	(5,464)
Water Rates	42,411	43,933	1,522
State Aid and Grants	26,534	27,222	688
All other	6,581	7,111	530

Total Receipts	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$271,485	\$262,108	(\$ 9,377)

Net Expenditures	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$410,161	\$434,014	\$ 23,853

Less

Amount to be taken from free cash	46,000	7,500	(38,500)
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Balance to be raised by Taxation	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$364,161	\$426,514	\$ 62,353
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Assessed Valuation	\$7,821,620	\$7,862,000	
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Tax Rate	\$ 46.50	\$ 54.25	\$ 7.75
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On the basis of the estimated valuation for 1958, each \$7,862 of appropriations affects our tax rate by \$1.00.

The principal increases in the recommended appropriations are \$17,000 for working plans for school construction and \$11,355 for the School Department. These are offset by decreases of \$17,000 for water main extensions and \$17,500 for street improvements.

Following is a list of the appropriations approved by the

Finance Committee, arranged in the order in which they are expected to be presented to the Annual Town Meeting, and compared with the 1957 appropriations.

ARTICLE 5

	Comparable 1957 Appropriations	Recom- mended for 1958
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GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

General Administration Expenses	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
Salaries of Elected Town Officials	3,325.00	3,325.00
Town Accountant	400.00	400.00
Town Counsel	500.00	500.00
Planning Board Expenses		500.00
Town Hall Expenses	6,000.00	10,000.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Police Department	\$ 22,700.00	\$ 22,700.00
Fire Department, (general maintenance and equipment)	40,000.00	41,000.00
Fire Department (Hydrants)	240.00	300.00
Fire Department (Hose)		600.00
Fire Department (Alarm System)	800.00	800.00
Fire Department (Brush Fires)	1,000.00	1,000.00
Fire Department (New Pick-Up Truck)		1,500.00
Civilian Defense	1,000.00	1,000.00
Tree Warden (not including insect pest or Dutch Elm Disease control)	1,000.00	1,000.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Board of Health	2,000.00	2,000.00
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HIGHWAYS:

Highway Department (general expenses, maintenance and repairs of streets, sidewalks, highways and bridges)	51,000.00	49,300.00
Maintenance of Equipment	3,000.00	3,000.00
Sidewalk replacements	6,000.00	6,000.00
New Truck		3,200.00

STREET LIGHTING:

Street Lighting	7,000.00	7,200.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE:

Public Welfare Administration and General Relief (including salary of clerk; plus income from Public Welfare Trust Funds)	6,300.00	6,300.00
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Administration Expense in connection with Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, and Disability Assistance (including salary of clerk)	2,200.00	2,200.00
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Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, and Disability Assistance	24,000.00	24,000.00
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VETERANS' SERVICES

Veterans' Benefits	4,000.00	4,000.00
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SCHOOLS:

School Department, (general operation and maintenance, including \$200 out-of-state travel expenses for the Superintendent of Schools)	242,400.00	259,755.00
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School Lunch Fund (plus receipts)	3,500.00	2,500.00
School Athletic and Physical Education Fund (plus receipts)	2,000.00	2,000.00
Special Repairs to Schools	3,500.00	2,500.00
School Vocational Tuition and Transportation (to be under the supervision of the School Department)	6,000.00	3,000.00
Gymnasium Rental	6,000.00	5,000.00

LIBRARY:

Library Department (general, maintenance and equipment)	7,500.00	7,500.00
(Plus income from Library Trust Funds; plus money received from the Dog Tax; see Article 8 of the Town Warrant)		

RECREATION:

Park Department (general, maintenance, and equipment)	14,000.00	14,000.00
(Plus income from the Park Department Trust Fund)		
New Truck	2,800.00	.....

UNCLASSIFIED:

Insurance	8,000.00	9,000.00
Memorial Day Expenses	325.00	400.00

UTILITIES:

Water Department (general, maintenance, and equipment)	32,740.00	33,500.00
Exploration of Source of Supply		2,000.00

CEMETERIES:

Town Cemetery (plus income from Cemetery Trust Funds)	300.00	300.00
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MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST:

Maturing School Bonds	20,000.00	20,000.00
Interest on School Bonds	6,270.00	5,890.00
Maturing Water Bonds	14,000.00	14,000.00
Interest on Water Bonds	3,260.00	2,980.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	2,787.00	2,500.00
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Total Budget Items (Article 5)	\$567,847.00	\$588,650.00

(It is recommended that \$7,500 be appropriated from available funds to apply against the appropriations under Article 5.)

SPECIAL ARTICLES

ARTICLE 10

Insect Pest Control	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
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ARTICLE 11

Dutch Elm Disease Control	1,500.00	2,000.00
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ARTICLE 12

Reserve Fund	7,500.00	7,500.00
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ARTICLE 13

Town's Share of Cost of Contribu- tory Group Insurance	5,000.00	5,500.00
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ARTICLE 14

Dutcher Street Improvement, Chap- ter 90 Construction	3,000.00	(3,000.00)
(This amount is to be trans- ferred from proceeds received from the State under the provi- sions of Chapter 718)		

ARTICLE 15

Mendon Street Maintenance, Chap- ter 90 Construction	1,200.00	1,200.00
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ARTICLE 18

Hope Street Bridge Committee	2,000.00
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ARTICLE 22

School Building Committee	4,000.00	17,000.00
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1957 Special Articles not repeated:

Extension of Water Mains	17,000.00
Freedom Street Improvement	6,000.00
Hopedale Street Construction	7,000.00
Charlesgate Road	1,500.00

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$624,547.00	\$626,850.00
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Respectfully submitted,

HOPEDALE TOWN FINANCE COMMITTEE

Eben S. Draper
 Elmer I. Goddard
 George A. Mongiat
 Lloyd G. McCrum
 C. Victor Pepper
 Claude F. Snider
 Hamilton W. Thayer
 Robert D. Donley, Secretary
 James H. Richardson, Chairman

Voted: Unanimously, that the Town accept the report of the Finance Committee as printed, and to act upon same item-by-item.

Artcile 4. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town fix the salaries and compensation of elected Town Officers as follows:

Town Clerk	\$200.00
Town Treasurer	700.00
Tax Collector	900.00

Chairman, Board of Selectmen.....	350.00
2nd Member, Board of Selectmen	200.00
3rd Member, Board of Selectmen	200.00
Chairman, Board of Assessors	400.00
2nd Member, Board of Assessors	200.00
3rd Member, Board of Assessors	100.00
Tree Warden	75.00

Article 5. Acting upon the report of the Hopedale Finance Committee, it was:

Voted. Unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate sums as follows:

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION:

General Administration	\$ 10,000.00
Salaries of Elected Town Officers	3,325.00
Town Accountant	400.00
Town Counsel	500.00
Planning Board Expenses	500.00
Town Hall Expenses	10,000.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Police Department	22,700.00
Fire Department (general, maintenance, and equipment)	41,000.00
Fire Department (Hydrants)	300.00
Fire Department (Hose)	600.00
Fire Department (Alarm System)	800.00
Fire Department (Brush Fires)	1,000.00
Fire Department (New Pick-Up Truck)	1,500.00
Civilian Defense	1,000.00
Tree Warden (not including insect pest or Dutch Elm disease control)	1,000.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Board of Health	2,000.00
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HIGHWAYS:

Highway Department (general expenses, maintenance and repairs of streets, sidewalks, highways, and bridges)	49,300.00
Maintenance of Equipment	3,000.00
Sidewalk Replacements	6,000.00
New Truck	3,200.00

STREET LIGHTING:

Street Lighting	7,200.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE:

Public Welfare administration and general relief, (including salary of Clerk; plus income from public welfare trust funds)	6,300.00
Administration Expense in connection with Old Age Assistance. Aid to Dependent Children, and Disability Assistance (including salary of Clerk)	2,200.00
Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, and Disability Assistance	24,000.00

VETERANS' SERVICES:

Veterans' Benefits	4,000.00
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SCHOOLS:

School Department (general operation and maintenance, including \$200.00 out-of-state travel expenses for the Superintendent of Schools)	259,755.00
School Lunch Fund (plus receipts)	2,500.00
School Athletic and Physical Education Fund (plus receipts)	2,000.00
Special Repairs to Schools	2,500.00
School Vocational Tuition and Transportation (to be under the supervision of the school department)	3,000.00
Gymnasium Rental	5,000.00

LIBRARY:

Library Department (general, maintenance, and equipment)	7,500.00
(plus money received from the Dog Tax)	

RECREATION:

Park Department (general, maintenance, and equipment)	14,000.00
(plus income from the Park Department Trust Fund)	

UNCLASSIFIED:

Insurance	9,000.00
Memorial Day expenses	400.00

UTILITIES:

Water Department (general, maintenance and equipment)	33,500.00
Exploration of Source of Supply	2,000.00

CEMETERIES:

Town Cemetery (plus income from Ceme- tery Trust Funds)	300.00
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MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST:

Maturing School Bonds	20,000.00
Interest on School Bonds	5,890.00
Maturing Water Bonds	14,000.00
Interest on Water Bonds	2,980.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	2,500.00

TOTAL BUDGET ITEMS (Article 5)	\$558,650.00
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SPECIAL ARTICLES

Insect Pest Control (Article 10)	3,000.00
Dutch Elm Disease Control (Article 11)	2,000.00
Town's Share of Cost of Contributory Group Insurance, (Article 13)	5,500.00
Mendon Street Maintenance, (Chapter 90 Construction) (Article 15)	1,200.00
Hope Street Bridge Committee (Article 18)	2,000.00
School Building Committee (Article 22)	17,000.00
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TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION	\$619,350.00
RESERVE FUND (Article 12)	7,500.00

DUTCHER STREET IMPROVEMENT (Article 14)	3,000.00
(Chapter 90 Construction) (This amount is to be transferred from proceeds received from the State under the provisions of Chapter 718)	

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1958 \$629,850.00

Article 6. Voted: Unanimously that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1958, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. Voted: Unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money on and after January 1, 1959, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1959.

Article 8. Voted: Unanimously, that the sum of \$611.09 refunded from the County on account of the Dog Tax, be transferred to the Library Department.

Article 9. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town authorize the Selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the Town.

Article 10. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for Insect Pest Control, as required by Chapter 132, General Laws and as amended, by Chapter 657, "Acts of 1956."

Article 11. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for suppression of Dutch Elm Disease, as required by Chapter 132, General Laws, and as amended by Chapter 657 "Acts of 1956."

Article 12 Voted: Unanimously, that there be appropriated from any funds available in the hands of the Town Treasurer, the sum of \$7,500.00 for a Reserve Fund.

Article 13. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500.00 to meet its share of the cost of premiums of contributory group insurance for certain persons in the service of the Town.

Article 14. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 to meet the Town's share of the cost of improvement of Dutcher Street, Chapter 90 Highway Construction, and to meet said appropriation, the sum of \$3,000.00 be transferred from the proceeds received from the State under the provisions of Chapter 718 of the Acts of 1956, said money to be used with money allocated by the State and County for said purpose, and to be expended under the supervision of the Selectmen, and that the Selectmen on behalf of the Town be authorized to enter into any contracts or agreements in regard to said improvement as they may find necessary or desirable.

Article 15. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00 for Chapter 90 Maintenance of Mendon Street, and that the Selectmen on behalf of the Town be authorized to enter into any contracts or agreements in regard to said maintenance as they may find necessary or desirable.

Article 16. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town sell three certain parcels of Park Land as hereinafter described, for the respective sums hereinafter stated, and that the Selectmen be authorized to obtain necessary legislative authority to make such conveyances, and that upon obtaining such legislative authority, the Selectmen are authorized and empowered to sign, seal, acknowledge and deliver in behalf of the Town, deeds of such parcels.

Parcel #1: To EMERSON B. TIFFT, for the sum of \$300.00, a certain parcel of land situated on southwesterly side of Dutcher Street, in said Hopedale, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at an easterly corner of the granted premises at a granite bound in the southwesterly line of Dutcher Street, said point being the northerly corner of other land of said Tift;

Thence S. $57^{\circ} 46' 30''$ W., 100.33 feet to a granite bound;

Thence S. $32^{\circ} 13' 50''$ E., 65.25 feet to a granite bound at land of one Perry; said last two lines bounding on other land of said Tift.

Thence S. $55^{\circ} 38' 05''$ W., 30.00 feet to a stake;

Thence N. $9^{\circ} 59' 30''$ W., 79.24 feet to a stake;

Thence N. $57^{\circ} 46' 30''$ E., 100.33 feet to the southwesterly line of said Dutcher Street; said last three lines bounding on other land of the Town of Hopedale;

Thence S. $32^{\circ} 13' 50''$ E., along the southwesterly line of said Street 7.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing about 1785 square feet.

Parcel #2: To FRANK V. PERRY, and IRENE C. PERRY, for the sum of \$350.00, a certain parcel of land situated off the southwesterly side of Dutcher Street, in said Hopedale, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a granite bound at the northerly corner of the granted premises, said point being the westerly corner of other land of said Perrys;

Thence S. $32^{\circ} 13' 50''$ E., and bounding on said other land of said Perrys, 75.00 feet to a stake at the southerly corner of said other land of said Perrys;

Thence S. $56^{\circ} 41' 57''$ W., 30.00 feet to a stake;

Thence N. $32^{\circ} 13' 50''$ W., 74.44 feet to a stake;

Thence N. $55^{\circ} 38' 05''$ E., 30.00 feet to the point of beginning; said last three lines bounding on other land of the Town of Hopedale.

Containing about 2241 square feet.

Parcel #3: To JOSEPH F. BLATZ and MADELINE J. BLATZ, for the sum of \$250.00. a certain triangular parcel of land situated off the southwesterly side of Dutcher Street, in said Hopedale, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a stake at the northerly corner of the granted premises, said point being the southerly corner of land of one Perry;

Thence S. $32^{\circ} 13' 50''$ E., 22.64 feet;

Thence S. $80^{\circ} 07' 10''$ W., 56.95 feet to a stake; said last two lines bounding on other land of said Blatzs;

Thence N. $56^{\circ} 41' 57''$ E., 52.68 feet to point of beginning.

Containing about 596 square feet.

Article 17. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town vote to repeal Article 3, Section 14 of its By-Laws relative to the office of Town Auditor, by abolishing said office, and to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Accountant.

Article 18. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town vote to continue the Hope Street Bridge Committee appointed under authority of the vote under Article 29 of the Warrant for the Annual Meeting of March 4, 1957, and to authorize said Committee to continue study of repairs to said Bridge, and to make a survey and obtain plans of traffic routes as alternates to said Hope Street Bridge, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to meet the cost of such study, survey, and plans, the same to be expended under the direction of said Committee.

Article 19. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town accept the provisions of General Laws (Tercentenary Edition), Chapter 40, Sections 42-G to 42-I, inclusive.

Article 20. Voted: Unanimously, that the following be and hereby is made and established a By-Law for the Town of Hopedale, the same to be in addition to the present By-Laws of the Town, and that it be designated as follows:

ARTICLE XII

BOARD OF APPEALS

Section 1. There shall be a Board of Appeals consisting of three members to be appointed by the Board of Selectmen. Promptly after this By-Law shall go into effect, the Board of Selectmen shall appoint from the registered voters of the Town, one member of said Board of Appeals to serve for the remainder of the present municipal year, one to serve until the expiration of the next following municipal year, and one to serve until the

expiration of the two next following municipal years, and each year thereafter the Board of Selectmen, promptly after their election, shall appoint from said voters, one member of said Board of Appeals to serve for three years.

The Board of Selectmen shall fill by appointment, vacancies in the Board of Appeals at any time occurring by reason of death, resignation, or from other cause.

Section 2. The Board shall organize each year by the selection of a Chairman and a Clerk. The Clerk shall keep records of the doings of the Board.

Section 3. The Board shall have jurisdiction to issue building permits in accordance with Section 81-Z of Chapter 41 of the General Laws.

Article 21. Defeated by a Voice Vote.

(Mr. James Richardson stated that the Finance Committee was not in favor of this Article as no land would be available in Hopedale and school would have to be in neighboring town with Hopedale always standing at least two-thirds of the cost continuously. It is the opinion of the Finance Committee that the inhabitants of Hopedale do not want a Regional School.)

Article 22. Voted: Unanimously, that the High School Planning Committee, appointed under authority of Article 18 of the Warrant of the Town Meeting of March 4, 1957, be Constituted a School Building Committee and that said Committee be authorized and empowered to engage an architect to prepare working plans and specifications for the construction of an addition to the General Draper High School Building, and that said Committee be authorized to advertise for public bids based on said plans and specifications and to report back to the next special or annual meeting of the Town on the cost of construction thereof, and that the sum of \$17,000.00 be raised and appropriated for this purpose to be used by said Committee.

Under Article 22 Mr. Henry L. Cyr moved that the voting on Article 22 be done by ballot. Same was seconded. Mr. John Neal rose to be recognized by the Moderator, and asked if the assembly was not required to vote on Article 22 amendment by ballot. Moderator read from Chapter 25 of Roberts Order. The original motion of the amendment was then put, and the voice result was;

“Yes” Vote for Ballot 111

“No” Vote for Ballot 138

On motion of Attorney Robert S. Phillips the Warrant was dissolved at 9:30 P. M.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT

Town Clerk

March 4, 1958

This is to certify that I have this day appointed Alfred French, Jr., as Assistant Town Clerk and that he duly qualified for said office.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT

Town Clerk

At the Town Meeting, March 3, 1958 there were 198 ballots cast for the following officers, and the same were declared elected:

190 Votes for Moderator—Edwin A. Howard—3 Years

192 Votes for Town Clerk—Mortimer C. Dennett—1 Year

178 Votes for Selectman—Herbert A. Pickard—3 Years

- 183 Votes for Treasurer—Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr.—1 Year
- 188 Votes for Tax Collector—Shirley E. Holmes—1 Year
- 182 Votes for Assessor—Perry K. MacNevin—3 Years
- 186 Votes for School Committee—John W. Hutchinson—
3 Years
- 182 Votes for Tr. Public Library—Jeanne B. Ammen—
3 Years
- 177 Votes for Road Commissioner—Robert D. Donley—
3 Years
- 185 Votes for Park Commissioner—Thomas H. West—
3 Years
- 184 Votes for Comm. of Trust Funds—James H. Richard-
son—3 Years
- 182 Votes for Tree Warden—W. Chester Sanborn—
1 Year
- 190 Votes for Constable—George J. D. Ardill—1 Year
- 185 Votes for Constable—Albert E. Bonin—1 Year
- 172 Votes for Constable—Alfred K. Hixon—1 Year
- 189 Votes for Constable—Thomas F. Malloy—1 Year
- 184 Votes for Constable—W. Chester Sanborn—1 Year
- 179 Votes for Planning Board—Arthur H. Fitzgerald—
5 Years
- 183 Votes for Planning Board—Charles J. Mongeon—
4 Years
- 183 Votes for Planning Board—Edward L. Condon—
3 Years
- 184 Votes for Planning Board—John R. Cicchetti—
2 Years
- 181 Votes for Planning Board—Horace H. Beaudet—
1 Year

Of the above named Town Officers, the following were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties:

By The Moderator — Mortimer C. Dennett

By the Town Clerk—Edwin A. Howard, Herbert A. Pickard, Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr., Shirley E. Holmes, Perry K. MacNevin, John W. Hutchinson, Jeanne B. Ammen, Robert

D. Donley, Thomas H. West, James H. Richardson, W. Chester Sanborn, George J. D. Ardill, Albert E. Bonin, Alfred K. Hixon, Thomas F. Malloy, W. Chester Sanborn, Arthur H. Fitzgerald, Charles J. Mongeon, Edward L. Condon, John R. Cicchetti, Horace H. Beaudet.

March 4, 1958

Selectmen C. Victor Pepper, Herbert A. Pickard, Deputy Sheriff Napier Scribner and Town Clerk Mortimer C. Dennett met this day 10:45 A. M. o'clock in the forenoon, and Selectman Herbert A. Pickard drew from the Juror Box the name of Noella D. Cedarholm, Housewife, 9 Dennett Street, and Selectman C. Victor Pepper drew from the Juror Box the name of Edgar Peneau, Assembler, 3 Williams Street, to serve as Traverse Jurors at our Superior Court, Civil Session, to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Civil business on Monday of April 7th at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT

Town Clerk

April 4, 1958

Selectmen C. Victor Pepper, Herbert A. Pickard, Deputy Sheriff Napier Scribner, and Assistant Town Clerk Alfred French, Jr., met this day at 2:30 P. M. o'clock in the afternoon and Selectman Herbert A. Pickard drew from the Juror Box the name of William Earl, Manager, 14 Adin Street, and Selectman C. Victor Pepper drew from the Juror Box the name of Serena Falcone, Housewife, 3 Lake Street, to serve as Traverse Jurors

at our Superior Court, Civil and Criminal Sessions, to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Civil and Criminal business on Monday of May 5th at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT
Town Clerk

April 1, 1958

As of this date, Arthur C. Young, Accountant, 7 Park Street, was appointed to the Hopedale Finance Committee for the unexpired term of Lloyd G. McCrum, resigned.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT
Town Clerk

April 21, 1958

As of this date, Town Treasurer, Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr., has appointed John Mason Washburn, Office Manager, 103 Dutcher Street, to be Assistant Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen of Hopedale.

Approved By	Town of Hopedale, Mass.
C. Victor Pepper	Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr.
H. A. Pickard	Town Treasurer.

Selectmen of Hopedale, Mass.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT
Town Clerk

May 1, 1958

As of this date, Ralph B. Jackson, Retired, 221 Hopedale Street, was appointed to the Hopedale Finance Committee, replacing C. Victor Pepper, whose term expired March 3, 1958.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT

Town Clerk

May 2, 1958

Selectmen C. Victor Pepper, Lloyd G. McCrum, Herbert A. Pickard, Deputy Sheriff Napier Scribner and Town Clerk Mortimer C. Dennett met this day at 1:30 P. M. o'clock in the afternoon, and Selectman Lloyd G. McCrum drew from the Juror Box the name of Constance E. Reid, Housewife, 314 South Main Street, and Selectman Herbert A. Pickard drew from the Juror Box the name of Ada A. Fisher, Housekeeper, 39 Dutcher Street, to serve as Traverse Jurors at our Superior Court, Civil Session, to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Civil Business on Monday of June next, the 2nd, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT

Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT

Commonwealth Of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Hopedale, in said County,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of June next, punctually at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To hear the report of the High School Building Committee.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of building an addition to General Draper High School and purchasing original equipment for such addition, and to determine whether such money shall be raised by taxation, appropriation from available funds in the treasury, and/or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and/or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purposes of remodeling and renovating the present General Draper High School and purchasing new equipment for the same, and to determine whether such money shall be raised by taxation, appropriation from available funds in the treasury, and/or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and/or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 275 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote that the High School Building Committee, appointed under Article 22 of the Warrant of the Town Meeting of March 3, 1958, be authorized and empowered to enter into all contracts and agreements for constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the General Draper High School and for remodeling, renovating and equipping the present General Draper High School or take any action in relation thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of the Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, this 16th day of June A.D., 1958.

C. VICTOR PEPPER
HERBERT A. PICKARD
LLOYD G. McCRUM

Selectmen of Hopedale

Attest:

THOMAS F. MALLOY
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, June 26, 1958

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

THOMAS F. MALLOY
Constable of Hopedale.

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING — JUNE 26, 1958

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, met in Town Hall, and punctually at seven-fifty o'clock in the evening were called to order by the Moderator of said Town, who requested the Town Clerk to read the Warrant.

The Counsel, Judge Gordan A. Shaw moved to omit the reading of the Warrant. Same was passed in the Affirmative.

Article 1. School Committee Chairman, John W. Hutchinson read the report of the High School Building Committee.

Mr. James H. Richardson, Chairman of the Finance Committee, recommended that all Articles in this Warrant be voted for in the Affirmative.

Article 2. Motion made by Robert J. Weaver, at 8:30 P. M., that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$405,453.00 for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the General Draper High School, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$5,453.00 be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow the sum of \$400,000.00 under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and the Treasurer be authorized to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than twenty years.

Then follows several speakers on this article, Mr. Henry Cyr, Superintendent of Schools Dow, Finance Committee Chairman James H. Richardson, and Mr. John W. Hutchinson, Chairman of the Hopedale School Committee, and High School Building Committee.

Then Mr. Henry Cyr rose and offered the following amendment to motion on Article 2:

"I move that the vote on Article 2 be conducted by means of written ballot with those voting FOR the adoption of said Article casting their vote in the Affirmative, and those voting AGAINST the adoption of the Article casting their vote in the Negative."

Moderator Edwin A. Howard then asked for a standing vote on the amendment. Result:

For Secret Ballot	163
Against Secret Ballot	180

Amendment Defeated.

Moderator Edwin A. Howard then proceeded to take up Article 2 in Body, requesting a Standing Vote.

Result (Original Motion of Article 2)

In the Affirmative	296
In the Negative	10

Article 3. Voted: Unanimously, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$58,322.00 for the purpose of remodeling, reconstructing and making extraordinary repairs to the present General Draper High School, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$8,322.00 be appropriated from available revenue funds in the Treasury, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow the sum of \$50,000.00 under authority of Chapter 275 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, and the Treasurer be authorized to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 275 of the Acts of 1948, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than ten years.

A further motion on Article 3 was:

Voted: Unanimously, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 from available funds in the Treasury for the

purpose of purchasing new equipment for the present General Draper High School.

Article 4. Voted: Unanimously, that the High School Building Committee, appointed under Article 22 of the Warrant of the Town Meeting held on March 3, 1958, be authorized and empowered to enter into all contracts and agreements for construction and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the General Draper High School, and for remodeling, reconstructing and making extraordinary repairs and equipping the present General Draper High School.

The following Tellers were appointed for this Town Meeting only, by the Moderator:—

Wayne Lewison, Angelo V. Ragonese, Carlton F. Miner, John D. Gannett, Charles J. Shanahan, Robert Whitman, George A. Mongiat, Richard W. Look.

On motion of Attorney Robert S. Phillips the Warrant was dissolved at 10:15 P.M.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,
Town Clerk

September 8, 1958

Selectmen C. Victor Pepper and Herbert A. Pickard, Deputy Sheriff Napier Scribner and Town Clerk, Mortimer C. Dennett met this day at 10:30 A.M. o'clock in the forenoon, and Selectman Herbert A. Pickard drew from the Juror Box the name of Catherine U. Cugini, Housewife, 137 Greene St., and Selectman C. Victor Pepper drew from the Juror Box the name of Victor R. Kaizer, Machine Tool Maintenance, 126 Greene Street, to serve as a Traverse Juror at our Superior Court, Criminal and Civil Sessions, to be holden at Worcester

for the transaction of Criminal and Civil Business on Wednesday of September, the 10th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk

September 12, 1958

Selectmen C. Victor Pepper and Herbert A. Pickard, Deputy Sheriff Napier Scribner and Town Clerk Mortimer C. Dennett met this day at 1:30 P. M. o'clock in the afternoon, and Selectman Herbert A. Pickard drew from the Juror Box the name of Henry S. Morriseau, Brass Worker, 266 South Main Street, and Selectman C. Victor Pepper drew from the Juror Box the name of George B. Tower, Snagger, 148 Greene Street, to serve as a Traverse Juror at our Superior Court, Criminal and Civil Sessions, to be holden at Worcester for the transaction of Criminal and Civil Business on Monday of October, the 6th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hopedale,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are

qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Town Hall in said Hopedale, TUESDAY, the NINTH DAY of SEPTEMBER, 1958, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

SENATOR IN	
CONGRESS	For this Commonwealth
GOVERNOR	For this Commonwealth
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	For this Commonwealth
SECRETARY OF THE	
COMMONWEALTH	For this Commonwealth
TREASURER AND RECEIVER-	
GENERAL	For this Commonwealth
AUDITOR OF THE	
COMMONWEALTH	For this Commonwealth
ATTORNEY GENERAL	For this Commonwealth
REPRESENTATIVE IN	
CONGRESS	For 14th Cong. District
COUNCILLOR	For 7th Councillor Dist.
SENATOR	For 4th Worcester Sen. Dist.
2 REPRESENTATIVES IN	
GENERAL COURT	For 8th Worcester Rep. Dist.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY	For Middle District
CLERK OF COURTS	For Worcester County
REGISTER OF DEEDS	For Worcester District
COUNTY COMMISSIONER (1) (Except	

Nantucket and Suffolk Counties) For Worcester County.

The polls will be open from Twelve o'clock Noon, to Seven P. M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this TWENTY-SEVENTH day of August, A. D., 1958.

C. VICTOR PEPPER

H. A. PICKARD

LLOYD G. McCRUM

Selectmen of Hopedale.

A true copy.

Attest:

THOMAS F. MALLOY, Constable.

Hopedale, Mass. September 9, 1958

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant, by posting attested copies in four public places in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

Attest:

THOMAS F. MALLOY

Constable of Hopedale

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk

Hopedale, September 9, 1958

Pursuant to the Warrant, lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified to vote in Primaries and Town affairs, assembled at the Town Hall, at 12 o'clock Noon on the 9th day of September for the purpose of giving in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Candidates as stated upon the Warrant.

At 4:00 P. M. the ballot box was opened and 100 ballots taken therefrom.

The Tellers being duly sworn as the law directs, began the counting.

The Tellers were John M. Washburn, Alfred French, Jr., John J. Creamer and Edgar J. Markham.

At 7:00 P. M. when the Polls were declared closed, 131 more ballots were taken from Ballot Box, making a total of 231.

At 7:45 P. M. the results were announced as follows:

REPUBLICAN BALLOT SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Vincent J. Celeste, Boston	165
Blanks	33

GOVERNOR

Charles Gibbons, Stoneham	171
Volpe,	4
Blanks	23

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Elmer C. Nelson, Mendon	188
Blanks	10

SECRETARY

Marion Curran Boch, Norwood	192
Blanks	6

TREASURER

John E. Yerxa, Dedham	193
Blanks	5

AUDITOR

Thomas H. Adams, Springfield	190
Blanks	8

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Christian A. Herter, Jr. Newton	193
Blanks	5

CONGRESSMAN (14th District)

Joseph William Martin, Jr., North Attleborough	193
Blanks	5

COUNCILLOR (7th District)

Quintin J. Cristy, Shrewsbury	191
Blanks	7

SENATOR (4th Worcester District)

Laval J. Leboeuf, Dudley	191
Blanks	7

REPRESENTATIVES In General Court (8th Worc. D.)

Charles E. Luke Driscoll, Northbridge	190
Joseph E. Branigan, Uxbridge	181
Blanks	25

DISTRICT ATTORNEY (Middle District)

A. Andre Gelinas, Fitchburg	191
Blanks	7

CLERK OF COURTS (Worcester County)

No Candidates

REGISTER OF DEEDS (Worcester District)

Bessie I. Murray, Northborough	189
Blanks	9

COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Worc. County)

John W. Fellows, Boylston	189
Blanks	9

DEMOCRATIC BALLOT

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

John F. Kennedy, Boston	27
Blanks	6

GOVERNOR

Foster Furcolo, Longmeadow	33
Blanks	0

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Robert F. Murphy, Malden	33
Blanks	0

SECRETARY

Edward J. Cronin, Peabody	31
Blanks	2

TREASURER

William G. Shaughnessy, Woburn	18
John F. Kennedy, Canton	11
Blanks	4

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley, Boston	30
Blanks	3

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edward J. McCormack, Jr., Boston	9
Endicott Peabody, Cambridge	22
Blanks	2

CONGRESSMAN (14th District)

Edward F. Doolan, Fall River	27
Blanks	6

COUNCILLOR (7th District)

Michael J. Favulli, Worcester	17
Paul H. Fell, Worcester	3
John V. Grady, West Boylston	5
Joseph Gutowski, Worcester	3

Francis M. Hicky, Worcester	3
Edward J. Urbec, Worcester	2
Blanks	0

SENATOR (4th District-Worc.)

Joseph F. Gibney, Webster	28
Blanks	5

REPRESENTATIVES In General Court (8th Worc. Dist.)

Charles A. Mullaly, Jr. Millville	27
Theodore F. Vecchione, Douglas	22
Blanks	17

DISTRICT ATTORNEY (Middle Dist.)

William T. Buckley, Worcester	23
Herman J. Dumas, Worcester	0
John M. Hart, Worcester	7
Blanks	3

CLERK OF COURTS (Worc. County)

James J. Joyce, Worcester	30
Blanks	3

REGISTER OF DEEDS (Worc. District)

Robert R. Gallagher, Worcester	30
Blanks	3

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS (Worc. County)

Edward Patrick Bird, Fitchburg	7
P. Eugene Casey, Milford	21
Joseph P. Sharry, Leicester	3
Blanks	2

The foregoing make a total of 198 Republican and 33 Democratic, a grand total of 231 ballots.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk

Under Article 20, Town Warrant of March 3, 1958 the Board of Selectmen appointed the following Board of Appeal, as follows:

William E. Gannett, Term Expires 1959

Virgil Fiori, Term Expires 1960

Frederick M. FitzGerald, Term Expires 1961

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk

The approval of the above Article 20 was given by the Attorney General, George Fingold, on June 16, 1958 at Boston, Massachusetts.

The approval of Article 5 which was adopted by the Town of Hopedale at a legal Town Meeting of said Town held January 14, 1958, that the Town establish a Planning Board under General Laws, (Tercentenary Edition), Chapter 41, Section 81-A, was given by the Attorney General, George Fingold, on June 16, 1958 at Boston, Massachusetts.

The approval of Article 17 which was voted unanimously by the Town of Hopedale at the Annual Town Meeting of said Town held March 3, 1958, that the Town repeal Article 3, Section 14 of its By-Laws relative to the Office of Town Auditor, by abolishing said office, and to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Accountant, was given by the Attorney General, George Fingold, on June 16, 1958 at Boston, Massachusetts.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,

Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hopedale, in said
County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified by law to vote in elections, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Town, on Tuesday, the fourth day of November A.D. 1958, it being the first Tuesday after the first Monday, punctually at seven o'clock in the forenoon at which time the polls will be open for said voters to give in their ballots to the Selectmen for Senator in Congress; Governor; Lieutenant Governor; Secretary; Treasurer; Auditor; Attorney General; Representative in Congress (14th District); Councillor (7th District); Senator (4th Worcester District); 2 Representatives in General Court (8th Worcester District); District Attorney (Middle District); Clerk of Courts (Worcester County); Register of Deeds (Worcester District); 1 County Commissioner (Worcester County); all on one ballot, designating the office intended for each person voted for. Also, upon said ballots the voters shall give in their votes, "Yes" or "No" on the following questions:

QUESTION NO. 1

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 73 in the affirmative and 132 in the negative and was approved in the Senate by a vote of 21 in the affirmative and 17 in the negative? YES NO

SUMMARY

The proposed measure provides that every former public employee, other than a judge, who is pensioned or retired for disability, shall report to his retirement authority, annually, his earnings from gainful occupation during the preceding year; and that if such earnings, plus the pension, exceed the regular compensation of the position formerly held, the pensioner shall refund that portion of his pension equal to such excess or the entire pension if such excess is greater than the pension. A refund, if required, shall not include any part of a pension represented by salary deductions from or special purchase by the former employee. The requirement of a refund is not applicable to income received in or prior to 1958.

QUESTION NO. 2

A. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?
YES NO

B. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)? YES NO

C. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises? YES NO

QUESTION NO. 3

A. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county? YES NO

B. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county? YES NO

The polls will be open from 7:00 A. M. until 8:00 P.M. on the said day.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by

posting up attested copies thereof in at least four public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said Town at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Hopedale, the 20th day of October, A.D. 1958.

C. VICTOR PEPPER
HERBERT A. PICKARD
LLOYD G. McGRUM
Selectmen of Hopedale

Attest:

THOMAS F. MALLOY
Constable of Hopedale.

Hopedale, November 4, 1958

I have complied with the requirements of this Warrant by posting attested copies, in four public places, in said Town, seven days before the time of said meeting.

THOMAS F. MALLOY,
Constable of Hopedale

A true copy of the Warrant and doings thereon.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,
Town Clerk

TOWN MEETING, NOVEMBER 4, 1958

Pursuant to Warrant lawfully posted, the inhabitants of Hopedale, duly qualified by law to vote in elections and in Town affairs, met at Town Hall on November 4, 1958, and punctually at seven o'clock in the forenoon, were called to order by the Town Clerk who read the Warrant, after which the polls were declared open.

The cards of instructions and specimen ballots being previously posted, the ballot clerks and deputy ballot clerks were sworn to the faithful performance of their duty, the official ballots delivered by the presiding officer to the ballot clerks who receipted therefor.

The ballot box registered at zero and was shown to be empty, the same was locked and the key delivered to the presiding officer.

Voting then proceeded.

At 12:50 P.M. the ballot box which registered 600 was opened by the presiding officer and 600 ballots were taken therefrom.

The Tellers being duly sworn as the law directs, counting proceeded.

Tellers reporting at 1:00 P.M. were John J. Creamer, Edgar J. Markham, John M. Washburn, Earl E. Killion, Lena M. Sheedy, Francis J. McQueen. At 4:00 P.M., John F. Bresciani and John C. Wight.

The ballot box was afterward opened and ballots removed therefrom as follows: at 4:15 P.M. 500 ballots, at 6:00 P.M. 300 ballots, at 8:00 P.M. the polls were declared closed and 455 more ballots removed therefrom, making a total of 1855. At this time the ballots of absent voters were examined and checked, and 45 ballots were put thru the ballot box which now registered 1900.

The ballot clerk's list showed that 1900 names had been checked and the voting list showed the same number.

The result was tabulated and at 11:50 P.M. was declared in open meeting as follows:

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

John F. Kennedy, of Boston, Democrat	1097
Vincent J. Celeste, of Boston, Republican	762
Lawrence Gilfedder, of Watertown, Socialist Labor	0
Mark R. Shaw, of Melrose, Prohibition	4
Blanks	37

GOVERNOR

Foster Furcolo, of Longmeadow, Democrat	802
Charles Gibbons, of Stoneham, Republican	1075
Henning A. Blomen, of Somerville, Socialist Labor	1
Guy S. Williams, of Worcester, Prohibition	0
Blanks	22

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Robert F. Murphy, of Malden, Democrat	781
Elmer C. Nelson, of Mendon, Republican	1081
Harold E. Bassett, of Clinton, Prohibition	2
Francis A. Votano, of Lynn, Socialist Labor	3
Blanks	33

SECRETARY

Edward J. Cronin, of Peabody, Democrat	853
Marion Curran Boch, of Norwood, Republican	1007
Fred M. Ingersoll, of Lynn, Socialist Labor	1
Julia B. Kohler, of Boston, Prohibition	1
Blanks	38

TREASURER

John F. Kennedy, of Canton, Democrat	846
John E. Yerxa, of Dedham, Republican	1011
Warren C. Carberg, of Medway, Prohibition	8
John Erlandsson, of Boston, Socialist Labor	1
Blanks	34

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley, of Boston, Democrat	856
Thomas H. Adams, of Springfield, Republican	1009
John B. Lauder, of Revere, Prohibition	1
Arne A. Sortell, of Randolph, Socialist Labor	1
Blanks	33

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Christian A. Herter, Jr., of Newton, Republican	1165
Edward J. McCormack, Jr., of Boston, Democrat	702
Charles A. Couper, of Attleborough, Socialist Labor	1
Gustaf B. Nissen, of Concord, Prohibition	1
Blanks	31

CONGRESSMAN

(Fourteenth District)

Joseph William Martin, Jr., of North Attleborough, Republican	1318
Edward F. Doolan, of Fall River, Democrat	551
Blanks	31

COUNCILLOR

(Seventh District)

Michael J. Favulli, of Worcester, Democrat	733
Quintin J. Cristy, of Shrewsbury, Republican	1136
Blanks	31

SENATOR

(Fourth Worcester District)

Joseph F. Gibney, of Webster, Democrat	827
Laval J. Leboeuf, of Dudley, Republican	1046
Blanks	27

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT

(Eighth Worcester District)

Charles E. Luke Driscoll, of Northbridge, Republican	1206
Charles A. Mullaly, of Millville, Democrat	765

Joseph E. Branigan, of Uxbridge	946
Theodore F. Vecchione, of Douglas, Democrat	483
Blanks	400

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

(Middle District)

A. Andre Gelinas, of Fitchburg, Republican	1193
William T. Buckley, of Worcester, Democrat	670
Blanks	37

CLERK OF COURTS

(Worcester County)

James J. Joyce, of Worcester, Democrat	1291
Blanks	609

REGISTER OF DEEDS

(Worcester District)

Robert R. Gallagher, of Worcester, Democrat	836
Bessie I. Murray, of Northborough, Republican	1008
Blanks	56

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

(Worcester County)

Edward Patrick Bird, of Fitchburg, Democrat	779
John W. Fellows, of Boylston, Republican	1058
Blanks	63

Also upon said ballot the voters gave in their votes "Yes" or "No" on the following questions:

QUESTION NO. 1

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

YES	1133
NO	399
Blanks	368

QUESTION NO. 2

Section "A"

YES	554
NO	1172
Blanks	174

Section "B"

YES	497
NO	1124
Blanks	279

Section "C"

YES	564
NO	1050
Blanks	286

QUESTION NO. 3

Section "A"

YES	531
NO	1170
Blanks	199

Section "B"

YES	481
NO	1176
Blanks	243

After the reading of the foregoing by the Presiding Officer, the check lists which were used by the Ballot Clerks and Checkers, together with the cancelled and unused Ballots and Tally Sheets, were delivered into the custody of the Town Clerk.

Attest:

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,
Town Clerk

LIST OF JURORS, JULY 1, 1958, HOPEDALE, MASS.

<i>Name — Residence</i>	<i>Business or Occupation and Address of Employer or Business</i>
Florence H. Adams, 48 Inman St.	Housewife
Husband, Meth. Eng., Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Martha E. Banks, 20 Prospect St.	Housewife
Husband, Design Eng., Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Owen E. Barrow, 257 So. Main St.	Real Estate
	Self-Employed
Sadie L. Barrows, 24 Oak St.	Housewife
Husband, Mach. Operator, Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Grace A. Belforti, 125 Mendon St.	Housewife
Husband, Qual. Cont. Insp., Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Virginia Bell, 90 Hopedale St.	Housewife
	Husband, Ass't. Foreman
Bruna M. Bresciani, 3 Hill St.	Housewife
Husband, Mach. Repair, Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Mildred M. Bresciani, 19 Home Park Ave.	Stitcher
Husband, Inspector, Fitzgibbons, Milford, Mass.	
James E. Brown, 42 Inman St.	Guard
	Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Barbara M. Burns, 17 Driftway	Mach. Operator
Husband, Toolmaker, Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
William F. Burrill, 179 Dutcher St.	Clerk
	Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Josephine T. Calarese, 254 So. Main St.	Shoe Worker
Husband, Mach. Operator, Derman Shoe, Milford, Mass.	
Wendell A. Cameron, 93 Greene St.	Machinist
	Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Bino Carnaroli, 14 Hill St.	Qual. Cont. Insp.
	Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Marshall T. Clark, 40 Inman St.	Cost Clerk
	Whitin Mach., Whitinsville, Mass.
Francis W. Cooper, 25 Cemetery St.	Erector
	Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.

Robert J. Cosetta, 211 So. Main St.	Mach. Operator Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Ralph L. Crosby, 6 Beech St.	Retired
Catherine U. Cugini, 137 Greene St.	Housewife Husband, Proprietor, Frank's Serv. Sta., Milford, Mass.
Ruth D. Dawe, 30 Driftway	Housewife Husband, Supt., Hopedale Pressed Met., Hopedale, Mass.
Amelia M. DiSabito, 222 Dutcher St.	Taxi-driver Husband, Taxi Manager, Self-Employed
William F. Draper, 8 Hammond Rd.	Maintenance Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Ruth M. Duffy, 6 Greene St.	Secretary Husband, Apprentice, Whitin Mach., Whitinsville, Mass.
Mabel A. Dunton, 36 Daniels St.	Housekeeper
Herbert S. Durgin, 118 Dutcher St.	Lab Tech. Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Gayton M. Eddy, 107 Mendon St.	Expeditior Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Clara M. Ferrucci, 1 Villa Drive	Housewife Husband, Poultry Man, Self-Employed
Mary Foster, 42 Hill St.	Hat Worker Husband, Mach. Operator, Framingham Hat Corp., Framingham, Mass.
Charles J. Gabrielson, 109 Jones Rd.	Garage Mechanic Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Arthur G. Fuller, 8 Prospect St.	Retired
Joseph J. Gallerani, 148 Mill St.	Janitor Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Leo J. Gartland, 24 Bancroft Pk.	Accountant Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Alfred L. Gaulin, 8 Charlesgate Rd.	Guard Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Donald P. Gould, 45 Inman St.	Clerk Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Elbridge L. Hatt, 96 Mill St.	Blacksmith Self-Employed
John T. Heron, 26 Northrop St.	Clerk Castalloy Co., Natick, Mass.

Alfred K. Hixon, 7 Soward St.	Shuttle Worker Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Michael J. Iacovelli, 360 So. Main St.	Foreman Bickford Shoe, Milford, Mass.
Arthur C. Johnson, 5 Hammond Rd.	Shuttle Worker Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Victor R. Kaizer, 126 Greene St.	Mach. Tool Maint. Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Ernestine M. Knox, 18 Warfield St.	Housewife Husband, Sales Manager, Nelson Motor Co., Milford, Mass.
George J. Lussier, 8A Mellen St.	Carpenter Sacco Construction, Bellingham, Mass.
John P. MacDonald, 210 So. Main St.	Clerk Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Mary C. Markham, 11 Daniels St.	Housewife Husband, Clerk, Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Kathleen D. Marso, 36 Daniels St.	Mach. Operator Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Harold W. Midgley, 26 Progress St.	Machinist Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Dorothy I. Morey, 25 Oak St.	Telephone Oper. Husband, Shipping Clerk, Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Henry S. Morisseau, 266 So. Main St.	Brass Worker Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Francis J. Noyes, 18 Dana Park	Retired
Mary C. Ohlson, 72 Freedom St.	Housewife Husband, Ass't Supt., Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Emma O. Paganini, 112 Mendon St.	Housewife Husband, Mechanic, Self-Employed
Bruno W. Pagnini, 128A Mendon St.	Shuttle Worker Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Irene C. Perry, 66 Dutcher St.	Housewife Husband, Supt., Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Victor C. Person, 219 Hopedale St.	Toolmaker Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.
Robert S. Pierce, 23 Bancroft Pk.	Guard Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.

Anna L. Ramelli, 97 Greene St.	Housewife
Husband, Auto Dealer, Hopedale Auto Sales, Hopedale, Mass.	
Doris J. Redden, 21 Bancroft Pk.	Housewife
Husband, Rigger, Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Rita L. Rice, 122 Freedom St.	Estimator
Husband, Ass't Foreman, Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Lena M. Sheedy, 205 Hopedale St.	Housewife
Husband, Postal Carrier, U. S. Gov't, Washington, D. C.	
John W. Superchi, 12 Progress St.	Clerk
Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Herbert S. Swanson, 16 Lloyd St.	Assembler
Electric Timer Co., Natick, Mass.	
Emerson B. Tift, 68 Dutcher St.	Retired
George B. Tower, 148 Greene St.	Snagger
Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
William H. Warren, 12 Cross St.	Lubricator
Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
George Wilson, 146 Dutcher St.	Foreman
Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Joseph Wilson, 289 So. Main St.	Steam Fitter
Draper Corp., Hopedale, Mass.	
Samuel Yanco, 39 Hopedale St.	Bartender

VITAL STATISTICS

Parents and others are requested to carefully examine the following lists and if any errors or omissions are discovered report them at once to the town clerk, that the record may be corrected, as it is of importance that the record of Vital Statistics should be complete. Herewith are extracts from the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 46.

Section 3. Every physician, or hospital medical officer registered under Section nine of Chapter one hundred and twelve, in this chapter called officer, shall keep a record of the birth of every child in cases of which he was in charge showing date and place of birth, the name, if any, of the child, its sex and color, the name, age, birth place, occupation and residence (including the street number, if any) of each parent,

the maiden name of the mother and the name of the physician or officer, if any, personally attending the birth. If the child is illegitimate, the names of and other facts relating to the father shall not be set forth except upon written request of both the father and mother. Said physician or officer shall, within fifteen days after such birth, mail or deliver to the clerk or register of the town where such birth occurred, a report stating the facts herein above required to be shown on said record and also the said written request, if any provided, that if said report is not so made within forty-eight hours after such birth, said physician or officer shall, within said forty-eight hours, mail or deliver to said clerk, or registrar a notice stating the date and place of the birth, the street number, if any, the ward number, if in a city, and the family name. Upon presentation to him of a certificate of the town clerk stating that any such birth has been duly reported, the town treasurer shall pay to such physician or officer a fee of twenty-five cents for each birth so reported. Any physician or any such officer violating any provision of this section shall forfeit not more than twenty-five dollars.

Section 4. A member or servant of a family in which a child is born, having knowledge of the facts required for record relative to such birth, shall furnish the same upon request of the clerk of the town where such child was born or its parents reside, or of any person authorized by him. Such member or servant refusing to furnish such facts shall be punished by fine not exceeding ten dollars.

Section 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born. Every householder in whose house a death occurs and the oldest next of kin of a deceased person in the town where the death occurs shall, within five days thereafter, cause notice thereof to be given to the board of health.

Blanks can be obtained on application to the town clerk.

MORTIMER C. DENNETT,
Town Clerk

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1958

DATE 1958	NAME	PARENTS
Jan. 9	Carol Ann Howe	John P. and Evelyn M. Barrieau
Jan. 10	Edward Joseph Phillips	Harold A. and Mary M. Curran
Jan. 11	Jo-Anne Morelli	John J. and Margaret I. Arsenault
Jan. 14	Craig Alan Rehbein	Roy H. and Edith Barrows
Jan. 14	Jeffrey Alan Butcher	Robert G. and Shirley A. Bresciani
Jan. 18	Paul Joseph Daley	William F. and Marilyn A. Shaughnessy
Jan. 19	Elaine Mary Brown	Robert H. and Arlene A. Bachand
Jan. 24	Susan Marie Boucher	Richard H. J. and Joyce M. Farr
Jan. 31	Gail Frances Cooper	Francis W. and Dorothy J. Taylor
Feb. 5	Brian Jay Hazard	Gerald W. and Anne C. Tacconi
Feb. 10	Robert Louis Fisher	Robert L. and Barbara M. Grant
Feb. 12	Bruce Daniel Tattersall	Thomas H. and Elizabeth A. Brown
Feb. 17	Warren Henry Baird	Leonard and Helen M. Gaskill
Mar. 3	Joyce Anne Thomas	Earl and Cecile Rondeau
Mar. 6	Timothy Scott Norling	David R. and Nancy J. Miner
Mar. 9	Susan Rosemary Alberto	Francis W. and Barbara Morris
Mar. 9	Scott Wesley Butler	Gordon V. and Dorothy Bracci
Mar. 10	James Joseph Vignone	Peter J. and Hazel M. Bowden
Mar. 10	Judith Irene Weaver	Roy A. and Norma I. Carlson
Mar. 11	James Lawrence Dec	Walter M. and Amanda Parker
Mar. 21	Kent Brian Duffy	Sterling H. and Ruth M. DeManche
Mar. 21	Loretta Lee Mellen	Leonard E. and Elizabeth Chute
Apr. 1	Jay Nicholas Pannichelli	Nicholas and Joan Smith
Apr. 4	Patricia Marie McDermott	Francis J. and Geraldine M. Galanti
Apr. 8	Alan Joseph Cyr	John W. and Virginia Burns
Apr. 11	Scott Ronald Lapworth	Ronald B. and Elizabeth L. Burns
Apr. 22	Tracy Ann Ronan	James W. and Eleanor Heron
May 5	Ann Whitten Foster	Harry E. and Margaret R. Runquest
May 20	Jeffrey Newell Marso	Robert D. and Jane Newell
May 27	Paula Allison Earl	William V. and Pauline C. Young
June 3	Susan Ellen Bushnell	George and Theresa McGuigan
June 6	Alfred Eugene Gibson	John E. and Helen A. Homand
June 8	David Alexander Mantoni	Louis T. and Eleanor M. Barnes
June 12	Brian Anthony Johnson	Martin J. and Marie P. Caruso
June 19	Mark Ernest Deiana	Burton E. and Joanne R. Orff
June 23	Peter Raymond Drew	Allen K. and Ann L. Sadler
June 26	Stephen Alfred Foglio	Alfred L. and Clementina A. Ghelli
July 5	Ronald Tieuli	Anthony J. and Norma L. Bailey
July 9	Stillborn	
July 11	Millie Madelene Mitchell	Edward B. and Dorothea M. Carey
July 12	John William Johnson	James P. and Helen T. Sheehan
July 17	Denise Brenda Gorondy	Alexander and Brenda Fletcher
July 17	Robert H. Hennessey, 2nd	Robert H. and Frances Mantoni
July 18	Charles A. Grillo, Jr.	Charles A. and Miriam Sooley
July 24	George E. Bodreau, Jr.	George E. and Helen C. Rej
July 29	Dianne Elizabeth Thayer	Howard E. and Elizabeth M. Reardon

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN 1958

DATE 1958	NAME	PARENTS
Aug. 1	Patricia Ann Hughes	Lawrence J. and Claudette B. Tousignant
Aug. 2	John Edwin Taft	Carl S. and Beverley M. Kelley
Aug. 3	Mark Aubrey Tower	Myron D. and Marie A. Allen
Aug. 10	David John Caprini	Joseph and Lucy Oliver
Aug. 12	Margaret Anne Noyes	Francis J. and Ana M. Veum
Aug. 13	Kathleen Marie Cormier	Francis G. and Helen Dolan
Aug. 19	Elaine Rosati	Angelo J. and Gloria M. DiDonato
Aug. 21	Anita Mary Antelli (1st T.)	John J. and Mary L. Ceramicoli
Aug. 21	Allan John Antelli (2nd T.)	John J. and Mary L. Ceramicoli
Aug. 22	Terry McCarthy	John E. and Jean L. Dorr
Sept. 14	Peter John Best	Harold and Eileen Kaizer
Sept. 15	Anne Marie Stewardson	Donald M. and Rose Marie Sylva
Sept. 20	Frank W. Chamberlain	Joseph L. and Nancy Gould
Sept. 21	Robert M. Liberatore	James D. and Katherine McVitty
Sept. 23	Brian Peter Coffey	Francis G. and Dita D. Consigli
Sept. 23	JoAnn Garvey	Fred A. and Edith Hall
Sept. 26	Becky Elizabeth Wright	Clayton W. and Elizabeth Thomas
Sept. 30	Bertha Marie Recchia	Gino M. and Rose D. DiAntonio
Oct. 1	Jennie Stella Arcudi	John C. and Josephine L. Terramagra
Oct. 3	Elaine Marie Cosetta	Robert J. and Edna R. Cenedella
Oct. 3	Richard Paul Espanet	Charles H. and Regina A. Casasanta
Oct. 11	Caroline Lee Barlow	William and Ursula Markham
Oct. 12	Donna Marie Boucher	Norman J. and Mary T. Ford
Oct. 14	David Carl Loeper	Frederick C. and Jeanne M. Milani
Oct. 16	Cindy Lou Meaden	William J. and June M. Barsanti
Oct. 21	Beth Elaine Dawe	John A. and Ann L. Campbell
Oct. 23	Irene Grace Griffin	Francis N. and Rita I. Ozella
Nov. 1	Robert Paul Ray	Clifford D. and Muriel M. MacLeod
Nov. 2	Cathy Elizabeth Miller	Raymond D. and Josephine M. Bracci
Nov. 3	Anthony Steven Zappella	Angelo B. and Geraldine M. Broad
Nov. 8	William Paul Mancini	William R. and Jessie A. Moschilli
Nov. 9	Philip Scott Melin	Kenneth R. and Helen M. Bushnell
Nov. 11	Dianne Constance Morin	Rolland J. and Dolores B. Dussault
Nov. 12	Peter James Lemon	George R. and Dolly E. Bowker
Nov. 16	Tammy Lee Flood	Conrad M. and Ruth Slavin
Nov. 26	Maureen M. McNamara	John F. and Dorothy J. Cronin
Nov. 26	Christopher L. Johnson	Elroy W. and Patricia McKeon
Dec. 2	Barbara Ann Ingham	Alfred W. and Nina M. Busby
Dec. 3	Bonnie Arlene Bell	Bayard B. and Martha Anderson
Dec. 8	Eric Roland Young	Ernest R. and Ruth M. Dion
Dec. 15	Joseph Blatz	Paul and Rosemary Trongone
Dec. 16	Frank Michael Garofano	Frank A. and Florence M. Niro
Dec. 16	Jacqueline Marshia Lovell	Roy F. and Marilyn M. Marshia
Dec. 21	David Michael Alves	Alfred F. and Valeria M. Holup
Dec. 22	Barbara Lee Kaizer	A. Glenn and Elinor G. Chapman
Dec. 25	Carole Ann Sesona	James R. and Arlene M. Peterson

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1958

DATE 1958	NAMES	RESIDENCE	Age	Marriage	BY WHOM AND WHERE MARRIED
Jan. 11	Norman J. Boucher Mary T. Ford	Hopedale Dorchester	23 22	1st 1st	Rev. John P. Sullivan, Dorchester
Jan. 25	Allan K. Drew Ann Lou Sadler	Milford Hopedale	20 19	1st 1st	J.P., W. M. Blodgett, Fitzwilliam, N. H.
Feb. 8	Hawkins M. Conrad	Chesterm, S. C.	24	1st	Rev. John K. Hammon, Hopedale
Feb. 8	Carol A. White Joseph D. MacKenzie	Hopedale Quebec City, Can.	21 29	1st 1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
Feb. 15	Theresa M. Tomassini Joseph P. Lopes	Hopedale Milford	25 24	1st 1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
May 17	Ann Marie Belforti Dino J. Bracci	Hopedale Hopedale	23 31	1st 1st	Rev. Anthony Corigliano, Milford
June 14	Norma E. Paradiso Dodson C. Webster	Milford N'rthb'r'gh	32 23	1st 1st	Rev. John K. Hammon, Hopedale
June 21	Sandra M. Chapman Anthony V. Areano	Hopedale Milford	19 21	1st 1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
June 21	Shirley M. Diana Eugene P. Ambrogi	Hopedale Hopedale	19 24	1st 1st	J.P., L. R. Trudeau, Bellingham
June 21	Virginia L. (Whitney) Greenwood	Fr'mingh'm Hopedale	20 37	2nd 1st	Rev. Francis V. McShane, Pawcatuck, Conn.
June 23	Theodore W. Fecteau Lucille (Patterson) Palmer	Waterford, Conn.	42	2nd	J.P., L. R. Trudeau, Bellingham
June 28	Arthur E. Thomas	Woonsocket, R. I.	42	2nd	J.P., L. R. Trudeau, Bellingham
June 29	JoAnne W. Gibson Richard Sardell	Hopedale Hopedale	19 23	1st 1st	Rev. Ira G. Ferguson, W'n's'ck't, R. I.
June 29	Valerie J. Braga	Woonsocket, R. I.	25	1st	
July 29	Eugene Courtemanche June M. Perry	Hudson Hopedale	31 31	1st 1st	J.P., A. A. Tremblay, Nashua, N. H.
Aug. 2	Robert H. Gilmore	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
Aug. 6	Mildred T. Noe Robert G. Garrity	Hopedale Millville	22 22	1st 1st	J.P., L. R. Trudeau, Bellingham
Aug. 16	Barbara G. Sardell James E. Enright	Hopedale Hopedale	17 27	1st 1st	Rev. John M. Nugent, New Orleans, La.
Aug. 16	Jane F. Nugent	Milford	26	1st	

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN 1958

DATE 1958	NAMES	RESIDENCE	Age Marriage		BY WHOM AND WHERE MARRIED
			Age	Marriage	
Aug. 16	Gordon H. Midgley	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
	Johanna M. Minnicucci	Hopedale	19	1st	
Aug. 30	Richard L. Volpe	Milford	29	1st	Rev. Walter F. Coonan, Hopedale
	Mary J. Tetlow	Hopedale	30	1st	
Sept. 13	Gino J. Minardi	Hopedale	20	1st	Rev. Louis Bonan, Milford
	Geraldine L. Guerino	Milford	17	1st	
Sept. 20	Lee W. Robbins, Jr.	Hopedale	22	1st	Rev. James Hutchison, Hopedale
	Betty Lou Earle	Hopedale	19	1st	
Sept. 27	Raymond W. Davis	Hopedale	27	1st	Rev. John K. Hammon, Hopedale
	Kaye E. Sanderson	Hopedale	21	1st	
Oct. 4	Robert A. Grant	Hopedale	25	1st	Rev. Kroum S. Jordan, W. Medway
	Marjorie E. Easter	W. Medway	25	1st	
Oct. 18	Donald E. Bernardi	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. John R. Shannon, Upton
	Joan A. Leland	Upton	18	1st	
Oct. 19	Winston W. Walker	Hopedale	23	1st	Rev. Lee E. Strother, Brockton
	Esther A. Hayward	Brockton	18	1st	
Nov. 1	William K. Elliott	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. James Hutchison, Hopedale
	Priscilla A. Knight	Hopedale	20	1st	
Nov. 6	Francis E. Gilbert	Milford	43	2nd	Rev. John K. Hammon, Hopedale
	Nancy (Bilsbury) Jaques	Hopedale	38	2nd	
Nov. 8	Gerald J. Shanahan	Hopedale	21	1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
	Ruth E. Bassett	Milford	18	1st	
Nov. 15	John B. McGrath	Boston	25	1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
	Joan M. Meade	Hopedale	22	1st	
Nov. 29	Richard P. Buroni	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. David P. Burke, Milford
	Patricia E. Meagher	Milford	23	1st	
Nov. 29	Henry C. Madeiros	Milford	28	1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
	Helen L. Pagani	Hopedale	30	1st	
Dec. 6	John H. Cook	Milford	18	1st	Rev. Thomas J. Connellan, Hopedale
	Paula A. Apicella	Hopedale	17	1st	

DEATHS REGISTERED IN 1958

DATE 1958	NAME OF DECEASED	Y	M	D	PLACE OF BIRTH
Jan. 5	George A. Phillips	81	10	26	Milford, Mass.
Jan. 10	Helen E. (McDonald) Gartland	48	1	29	Milford, Mass.
Jan. 17	Henrietta (Bates) Lapworth	79	4	28	Cohasset, Mass.
Jan. 29	Albert S. Danserau	67	—	—	Athol, Mass.
Jan. 31	Fred J. Ring	77	11	27	Brattleboro, Vt.
Feb. 1	Michael F. Reynolds	77	10	0	Milford, Mass.
Feb. 15	Donald Leo Bishop	8	2	5	Pascoag, R. I.
Feb. 18	Anastasia G. (Manning) Kennedy	76	9	23	Milford, Mass.
Feb. 19	Jane (Odlum) Smith	80	7	1	Grafton, Mass.
Feb. 22	Kathryn B. Egan	81	7	22	Milford, Mass.
Feb. 22	Carlton Ellis Scott	62	2	9	Milford, Mass.
Feb. 25	Alexander Mantoni	67	—	—	Italy
Feb. 27	Alice E. (King) Hoel	64	10	7	Hopedale, Mass.
Mar. 6	Roberta P. (Ingerson) Young	76	6	3	Mix Run, Penna.
Mar. 29	Noah H. Dowden	53	6	29	St. Johns, Newfound- land
Apr. 2	Frank Bresciani	73	—	—	Italy
Apr. 9	George F. Young	75	1	2	Malone, N. Y.
Apr. 11	Cornelius J. Foley	64	7	12	N. Bellingham, Mass.
May 9	Mary Ann (Foley) Dore	68	7	11	N. Bellingham, Mass.
May 15	Victor W. Collier	80	7	27	Chelsea, Mass.
May 26	Ernestine (Harding) Wilcox	80	2	25	Walpole, Mass.
May 31	Helen S. (Harris) Williams	83	0	17	Milford, Mass.
June 1	Frederick K. Brown	81	7	2	Mendon, Mass.
June 27	Angus V. MacLeod	88	1	8	Big Brook, C. B., Nova Scotia
July 3	Veronica I. (Laprad) Brown	50	3	15	Massachusetts
July 3	Albert C. Rhodes	84	5	7	Ludlow, Mass.
July 9	Stillborn				
Aug. 13	John F. Simpson	80	2	10	Boston, Mass.
Aug. 15	George A. Rollins	81	6	17	Upton, Mass.
Aug. 15	David P. Stevenson	89	—	—	Paisley, Scotland
Aug. 27	Wilfred J. Lussier	61	—	—	Manville, R. I.
Aug. 31	Annie E. (Simms) Williams	76	5	21	York County, Eng.
Sept. 8	Harriet A. (Holbrook) Leland	77	9	9	Upton, Mass.
Sept. 16	David L. Lescoe	72	3	17	Northbridge, Mass.
Sept. 20	Harry L. Wilbur	83	9	10	Hopedale, Mass.
Oct. 2	Lillian Miller	64	8	9	Newcastle, N. B.
Oct. 9	Guiseppe Diotalevi	73	—	—	Italy
Oct. 18	Frank Quance	54	11	5	Lawrence, Mass.
Oct. 28	Christina W. (Melrose) Carron	66	4	6	Natick, Mass.
Nov. 10	Robert H. Girvin	82	1	23	Lincoln, R. I.
Nov. 10	Pearl (Hurt) Wells	80	7	15	Birmingham, Eng.
Nov. 20	Raymond R. Murphy	56	8	—	Milford, Mass.
Nov. 22	Helen (Harper) Anderson	63	4	23	Fleming, Sask.
Nov. 24	George L. Harlow	79	3	19	Auburn, Me.
Nov. 28	Henry V. Aldrich	77	6	12	Blackstone, Mass.
Nov. 28	Mildred (Hoar) Smethurst	60	—	1	Winchendon, Mass.
Dec. 2	Albert D. Wood	78	0	8	Hope Valley, R. I.
Dec. 8	Margaret (Young) Dow	89	7	20	Lowell, Mass.
Dec. 9	Clement Greenhalgh	77	11	5	Lancashire, Eng.
Dec. 10	Antonio G. Belforti	81	—	—	Italy
Dec. 15	Rose (DeLuca) Pilla	47	—	—	Milford, Mass.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

Hopedale, Massachusetts, December 31, 1958

To the Board of Selectmen

Hopedale, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit to you my report as Inspector of Animals for the year ending December 31, 1958.

I have inspected all animals and premises where same are kept and sent my report to the State.

I have quarantined twenty-four dogs that have bitten people as required by law.

Respectfully submitted,

W. CHESTER SANBORN,
Inspector of Animals

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

Hopedale, Massachusetts, December 31, 1958

To the Board of Selectmen

Hopedale, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

As Inspector of Slaughtering I have had no inspections to make during the year ending December 31, 1958.

Respectfully submitted,

W. CHESTER SANBORN,
Inspector of Slaughtering

REPORT OF
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Board of Selectmen
Hopedale, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit to you my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1958.

I have tested and sealed the following scales, weights and measures:

- 9 Platform scales over 5,000 lbs.
- 54 Platform scales from 100 to 5,000 lbs.
- 44 Scales under 100 lbs.
- 51 Weights
- 18 Gasoline pumps
- 5 Vehicle tank meters
- 3 Bulk tank meters

I have checked 16 peddlers licenses.

I have made periodic inspections of the stores to check the weights of packaged products and have no complaints.

I have collected and turned over to the Town Treasurer \$168.10.

Respectfully submitted,

W. CHESTER SANBORN

Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN AND SUPERINTENDENT OF INSECT PEST CONTROL

To the Board of Selectmen
Hopedale, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit to you my report as Tree Warden and Superintendent of Insect Pest Control for the year ending Dec. 31, 1958.

As Tree Warden I had several trees that were dead removed and the dead and broken limbs removed that might be hazardous to street traffic. I inspected all tree trimming done by Utility companies. Four Norway Maples were planted to replace dead trees.

As Superintendent of Insect Pest Control I did the following:

On April 14-15-16 the breeding areas for Mosquitos and Black Flies were sprayed with 12% DDT. Also at this time a dormant spray was applied to the Elm trees for control of the Elm Bark Beetle.

On May 31st practically the whole town was sprayed with a solution of 6% DDT and 1% Malathion for the control of the Elm leaf beetle, tent Caterpillars, Gypsy Moth, Flies, Mosquitos, etc.

On July 12th the same spray was again applied.

On August 16 the same spray was applied as recommended by the state for protection against Equine Encephalitis.

On June 10th more streets were sprayed for Poison Ivy.

Samples were taken from thirty-six Elm trees suspected of having Dutch Elm Disease and sent to the Shade Tree

Laboratory at The University of Massachusetts in Amherst, for testing. Twenty-two of them proved to have the disease and were promptly destroyed.

Respectfully submitted,

W. CHESTER SANBORN,

Tree Warden and Supt. of Insect Pest Control

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958
INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

	Appropriation	Expenses	Balance
Salaries —			
Elected Town Officials	\$ 3,325.00	\$ 3,325.00	\$ 0.00
Town Counsel	500.00	500.00	0.00
Town Accountant	400.00	400.00	0.00
General Administrative	10,000.00	9,028.06	971.94
Street Lights	7,200.00	6,724.49	475.51
Town Hall	10,000.00		
From Reserve Fund ..	1,200.00	11,144.35	55.65
Police	22,700.00	22,076.36	623.64
Insurance	9,000.00	8,132.76	867.24
Cemetery, plus Income from Trust	309.56	308.82	.74
Veterans' Relief	4,000.00	1,369.22	2,630.78

Memorial Day	400.00	400.00	0.00
Interest on Borrowed Money	2,500.00	1,562.10	937.90
Group Insurance - Town Employees	5,500.00	4,896.73	603.27
Civil Defense	1,319.23	920.87	398.36

C. VICTOR PEPPER,
HERBERT A. PICKARD,
LLOYD G. McCRUM,
Board of Selectmen

WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

I submit herewith, the following report for the year ending December 31, 1958.

GENERAL STATISTICS

Total area of land for water supply purposes — 10 acres.

Source of supply — Thirty-one 2½" driven wells.

Mode of supply — Direct pumping into distribution system with overflow to standpipe of 846,000 gals. capacity.

1—300 GPM and 1—350 GPM centrifugal pumps each directly connected to electric motor and 1 gasoline engine.

STATISTICS ON CONSUMPTION OF WATER

Total consumption of water for year — 111,377,800 gallons.

Passed through meters — 85,344,203 gallons.

Percentage of used services metered — 100%.

Meters in service — 1160.

Average daily consumption — 305,000 gallons.

Water purchased — 9,665,550 gallons.

DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

Kind of pipe — Cast iron, cement lined, tar coated and transite.

Sizes — 2 inch to 12 inch.

Total now in use — 12.6 miles.

Number of hydrants now in use — 118.

Range of pressure on system — 48 to 125 lbs.

SERVICES

Kind of pipe — Wrought and cast iron cement lined and copper tubing.

Sizes — $\frac{3}{4}$ inch to 4 inches.

Total number installed to date — 935. In use to date — 905.

Large number of duplex houses — 1 service, 2 meters.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Board of Water Commissioners for their co-operation, also the various Town Departments, especially the Highway Department, for their assistance so readily given.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE K. ALLEN,

Superintendent

REPORT OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

By Appropriation

General Expense	\$33,500.00
Exploration of Source of Supply	2,000.00
Maturing Water Bonds	14,000.00
Interest on Water Bonds	2,980.00

Disbursements

General Expense	\$32,591.23
Exploration of Source of Supply	1,933.17
Maturing Water Bonds	14,000.00
Interest on Water Bonds	2,980.00
Unexpended balance	975.60

\$52,480.00	\$52,480.00
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C. VICTOR PEPPER,
HERBERT A. PICKARD,
LLOYD G. McCRUM,
Board of Water Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

By Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
Vital Statistics	\$ 159.00
District Nursing Association	176.00
Worcester County Sanitorium	1,220.50
Polio Vaccine Program	143.79

State Registration Dues	15.00	
Postage and Envelopes	2.00	
Spraying for Equine Encephalitis ..	282.39	
Unexpended balance	1.32	
	\$2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00

C. VICTOR PEPPER,
HERBERT A. PICKARD,
LLOYD G. McCURUM,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

No Complaints.

C. VICTOR PEPPER,
HERBERT A. PICKARD,
LLOYD G. McCURUM,
Fence Viewers.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

Public Welfare Administration and
General Relief:

From Appropriation	\$ 6,300.00
From Trust Fund Interest	180.83
To Personal Aid in Hopedale	
Cash	\$ 339.07
Worcester County Sanitorium	9.50

Food	114.55	
Medical	992.96	
Nursing Care	180.00	
Salaries, Office Supplies and Exp.	455.88	
C. L. Goss, Contractor—Repairs to		
Safe	387.30	
Miscellaneous	96.79	
Unexpended Balance	3,904.78	
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	\$ 6,480.83	\$ 6,480.83

C. VICTOR PEPPER,
HERBERT A. PICKARD,
LLOYD G. McCRUM,
Board of Public Welfare.

REPORT OF ADMINISTRATION EXPENSE

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

By Appropriation	\$ 2,200.00
Federal Grants Received	1,465.53
To Cash	
Services Rendered —	
Appropriation	\$ 1,539.32
Services Rendered —	
Federal Grants	1,407.47
Unexpended Balance —	
Appropriation	660.68

Unexpended Balance —

Federal Grants	58.06
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	<u>\$ 3,665.53</u>	\$ 3,665.53
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C. VICTOR PEPPER,

HERBERT A. PICKARD,

LLOYD G. McCRUM,

Board of Public Welfare.

REPORT OF GENERAL ASSISTANCE

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

By Appropriation		\$24,000.00
From Federal Grants Received —		
Old Age Assistance		13,198.60
Aid to Dependent Children		576.01
Disability Assistance		2,564.76
To Cash Aid in Hopedale		
Old Age Assistance —		
From Appropriation	\$13,612.17	
From Federal Grants	11,556.08	
Hopedale settlements aided else- where	1,913.97	
Aid to Dependent Children —		
From Appropriation	321.40	
From Federal Grants	411.60	
Disability Assistance —		
From Appropriation	4,328.65	
From Federal Grants	2,135.22	

Unexpended Balance		
From Appropriation	3,823.81	
From Federal Grants —		
Old Age Assistance	1,642.52	
Aid to Dependent Children	164.41	
Disability Assistance	429.54	
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	\$40,339.37	\$40,339.37

C. VICTOR PEPPER,

HERBERT A. PICKARD,

LLOYD G. McCRUM,

Board of Public Welfare.

REPORT OF THE ENGINEERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

By Appropriation — General Main- tenance		\$41,000.00
Accident Insurance Benefits, R. Ham- mond	800.00	
Disbursements	\$41,797.21	
Unexpended Balance	2.79	
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	\$41,800.00	\$41,800.00
By Appropriation — Hydrants		300.00
Disbursements	190.00	
Unexpended Balance	110.00	
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	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00

By Appropriation — Hose		600.00
Disbursements	597.80	
Unexpended Balance	2.20	
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	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00
By Appropriation — Fire Alarm Sys- tem		800.00
Disbursements	797.70	
Unexpended Balance	2.30	
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	\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00
By Appropriation — Brush Fires		1,000.00
Disbursements	943.63	
Unexpended Balance	56.37	
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	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
By Appropriation — New Pick-up Truck		1,500.00
Disbursements	1,430.50	
Unexpended Balance	69.50	
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	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00

CHARLES A. WATSON,

ARNOLD F. NEALLEY,

WAINA M. ERICKSON,

Board of Fire Engineers.

REPORT OF THE HOPEDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and
Citizens of Hopedale

I herewith submit the report of the Hopedale Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1958.

ALARM RESPONSES

From January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958 the Department responded to 70 alarms; 5 general or box alarms, 3 of which proved to be false alarms, 53 telephone alarms, 6 personal alarms, 5 radio alarms, and alarms from Fire Tower 1. A breakdown of the responses is as follows.

Building Fires	10
Automobile or Truck Fires	5
Grass or Brush Fires	9
Oil Burner Fires	2
Electrical Equipment Fires	6
Out of Town Calls	8
False Alarms	3
First Aid Calls	9
Emergency Calls	5
Miscellaneous Calls	6
Airplane Fires	1
Dump Fires	4
Cellars Pumped	33

During the year 1958, this department issued the following permits and inspected the work in connection with the installation thereof:

Permits to install Oil Burning Equipment	42
Permits to Store Fuel Oil	56

Blasting Permits	18
Inspection of Newly Licensed Premises	1
Permits for Storage of Liquified Petroleum Gas	4
Permits for Burning in the Open Air	250

ROSTER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

1958

BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

CHARLES A. WATSON, Chief

ARNOLD F. NEALLY, Deputy Chief

WAINA M. ERICKSON, Deputy Chief

MEMBERS

ENGINE COMPANY NO. 4

Alfred Clement, Capt.	Herbert Durgin, Clerk
Freeman L. Hammond, Lt.	Thomas Spencer
Fred Sears	William M. Campbell
Kenneth Boudreau	Francis Dowdell
Frederick Metcalf	James Johnson

COMBINATION COMPANY NO. 1

Richard Meade, Capt.	Earl Flocks, Clerk
William E. Grant, Lt.	Alfred Alves
Raymond Meade	William Warren
Joseph Caprini	Mathew Fino
Lawrence J. Hughes	

LADDER COMPANY NO. 1

Stanley Barrows, Capt.	Davis Sanborn
Robert Alger, Lt. & Clerk	Gustaf Safstrom
Charles J. Gabrielson	Thomas Bonin
Francis Callery	Henry L. Cyr

PROPERTY

1943	Seagrave Aerial Ladder	\$11,000.00
1926	Ahrens Fox Pumper	2,000.00
1936	Ahrens Fox Pumper	4,000.00
1940	G.M.C. Brush Fire Truck	800.00
1947	Am. LaFrance Pumper	7,500.00
1958	Chevrolet Pick-up	1,800.00
	Fire Alarm Telegraph	22,000.00
	7,000 Ft. 2½ inch hose	8,000.00
	1,800 Ft. 1½ inch hose	2,500.00
	2,500 Ft. 1 inch hose	1,000.00
	Supplies, Etc.	5,000.00
	2 Way Radio	2,500.00
1942	G.M.C. Tanker and Pump	500.00

HOPEDALE FIRE ALARM
BOX

- 12 South Main St. — near Green Store
- 13 South Main St. — cor. Warfield St.
- 14 South Main St. — cor. Mellen St.
- 15 South Main St. — near Tire Shop
- 16 South Main St. — cor. Plain St.
- 17 South Main St. — Milford Line
- 21 Draper Corp. — Garage
- 23 Draper Corp. — Pattern Safe
- 24 Hopedale St. — cor. Freedom St.
- 25 Draper Corp. — Dept. 3 and 9
- 26 Hopedale St. — cor. Union St.
- 27 Draper Corp. — Main Door
- 28 Draper Corp. — Dept. 8
- 29 Draper Corp. — Foundry Officer
- 31 Dutcher St. — opp. J. N. Stanas
- 32 Northrop St. — cor. Park St.
- 33 Freedom St. — cor. Dutcher St.
- 41 Freedom St. — cor. Progress St.
- 42 Bancroft Park — West Side

- 51 Plain St. — Rosenfeld Sand Pit
- 114 Mendon St. — cor. Hill St.
- 115 Mendon St. — opp. Hammond Road
- 121 Mendon St. — cor. Highland St.
- 122 Daniels St. — cor. Highland St.
- 124 Adin St.
- 125 Adin St. — Elementary School
- 131 Hopedale St. — cor. Greene St.
- 132 Hopedale St. — opp. Twing St.
- 133 Hopedale St. — cor. Mendon St.
- 134 Hopedale St. — cor. Adin St.
- 135 Hopedale St. — cor. Hope St.
- 141 Mellen St. — cor. Howard St.
- 312 Dutcher St. — near Elm St.
- 313 Dutcher St. — cor. Dennett St.
- 314 Park St. School
- 315 Dutcher St. School
- 322 Northrop St. — cor. Freedom St.
- 331 Union St. — cor. Prospect St.
- 344 Dutcher St. — near Driftway
- 411 Lake St.
- 413 Freedom St. — West of Bridge
- 421 Hope St. — Coal & Ice Co. Office
- 512 Plain St. — cor. Mill St.
- 513 Mill St. — between Greene and Plain St.
- 514 Westcotts Mill
- 515 Mill St. Mendon Line

PHANTOM BOXES

- 71 Overdale Parkway
- 311 Inman St.

GENERAL SIGNALS

- 1 Blast — Chief of Department or Squad Call
- 2 Blast — All out or recall
- 5 Blast — C.D. Call
- 6 Blast — Military Call
- 8 Blast — Forest Fire or house call

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance of Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1958	\$ 91,684.74
Total Receipts Year 1958	1,454,673.50
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Total	\$1,546,358.24
Total Cash Disbursement 1958	\$1,102,284.72
Total Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1958	444,073.52
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Total	\$1,546,358.24

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

TOWN OF HOPEDALE, MASS.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

Library Department

By Balance from last account	\$73,329.72
111 Shares Chic. Milw. St. Paul & Pacific Common Stock	\$ 6,951.55
2,400 Chic. Milw. St. Paul & Paci- fic 5% Income Debentures, Series A, due 1/1/2055 M46509110 - C182215	1,340.65
400 Chic. Milw. St. Paul & Paci- fic Gen. Mtge. 4½% Income Bonds Series B of 2044 - C 7859-60-61-62	406.04
6,000 Wisconsin Electric Power Co. 3⅞% 1st Mtge. Bds due 4/15/86	6,322.50
4,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3⅝% 1st & Ref. Bds due 8/15/78	4,090.04
1,000 B & M RR 1st Mtge. Bonds, 4% Series RR due 7/1/60 - M63669	920.71

2,500 B & M RR Income Mtge. Bonds, Series A 4½%, due 7/1/70, D6297 - M41271-2	2,301.79	
13,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾% Bds 1980	13,122.93	
3,000 U. S. Treas. 2½% Bonds due 1969-64 116407 F and 116407 H - 249674 D	3,007.26	
10,000 U. S. Treas. 2½% Bonds due 1969-64 #44049K	10,021.22	
6,000 U. S. Treas. 2½% Bonds due 1967-72 Nos. 279996F - 64804 D	6,000.00	
Deposit Milford Sav. Bank, Book 52167	5,005.22	
14,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾% Bonds 1980 Nos. M 35-352/5 - 35-361/356 - M47 - 992/4 37-279	13,839.81	
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	\$73,329.72	\$73,329.72

Detail of Library Trust Fund

Joseph B. Bancroft—Bancroft Fund	\$ 1,143.00
Estate of Joseph B. Bancroft—Ban- croft Fund	1,143.00
Lilla B. Bracken—Sarah M. Whipple Fund	1,143.00
Estate of Lura B. Day—Bancroft- Day Fund	5,535.66
Estate of Lura B. Day—Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	20,503.75
Estate of Frances E. Colburn—Fran- ces E. Colburn Fund	10,282.38
Estate of Ruth Day Williams—Ban- croft-Day Fund	23,329.29

Anna M., Lilla B. and Lura B. Bancroft Fund	10,249.64
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	\$73,329.72

Public Welfare Department

By Balance from last account		\$ 5,779.01
1,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾ % Bonds, 1980	\$ 1,009.46	
1,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾ % Bonds due 1980	988.56	
Deposit Milford Savings Bank—Book No. 37995	2,756.27	
1,000 Southern California Edison Co. 3⅝ % Bonds due 1978	1,024.72	
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	\$ 5,779.01	\$ 5,779.01

Detail of Public Welfare Department Trust Fund

Estate of Jessie Preston Draper	\$ 5,779.01
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Park Department

By Balance from last account		\$ 1,892.46
Deposit Milford Savings Bank, Book No. 52166	\$ 903.90	
1,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾ % Bonds due 1980 — No. M 47-991	988.56	
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	\$ 1,892.46	\$ 1,892.46

Detail of Park Department Trust Fund

William F., George A. and Eben S. Draper	\$ 1,892.46
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*Hopedale Village Cemetery**Perpetual Care Fund*

By Balance from last account		\$ 3,212.96
1,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾ %		
Bonds due in 1980	\$ 1,009.46	
Deposit Milford Savings		
Bank, Book No. 52168	1,183.50	
1,000 Southern California Edison		
Co. 3⅝ % Bonds 1978	1,020.00	
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	\$ 3,212.96	\$ 3,212.96

Detail of Cemetery Trust Fund

Burlingame Lot	\$ 119.00
Sarah M. Whipple	119.00
Sally Whipple	119.00
Margaret Humphrey	297.44
Joseph B. Bancroft	595.00
Frank J. and Grace M. Dutcher	553.44
S. B. Holbrook	119.00
L. H. Ballou	237.95
Mary Draper	16.62
A. T. Field account Twing Lot	178.45
P. W. Moody account Lot 45	59.50
W. G. Comstock	59.50
Mary J. Jacques	119.00
J. A. Edmands	119.00
George Scriven	77.32
George H. Cole	119.00
Frank H. French	89.24
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	\$ 2,997.46
Profit from sale of securities in 1954	17.50
Profit from sale of securities in 1956	198.00
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	\$ 3,212.96

Town Cemetery — Perpetual Care Fund

By Balance from last account		\$	294.41
Deposit Milford Savings Bank—			
Book No. 52169	\$	294.41	
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	\$	294.41	\$ 294.41

Detail of Town Cemetery Fund

Estate of Emily Albee	\$	83.31
Estate of Medora Whitney		111.10
Estate of Lewis C. Gorton		100.00
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	\$	294.41

Summary of All Funds

Library Department	\$73,329.72
Public Welfare Department	5,779.01
Park Department	1,892.46
Hopedale Village Cemetery	3,212.96
Town Cemetery	294.41
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	\$84,508.56

Summary of All Investments

13,000 U. S. Treas. 2½ % Bonds—	
1964-69	\$13,028.48
15,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾ %	
Bonds, 1980	15,141.85
16,000 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾ %	
Bonds, 1980	15,816.93
6,000 U. S. Treas. 2½ % Bonds,	
1967-72	6,000.00
111 Shares Chicago, Milw. St.	
Paul & Pac. R.R. Com. Stock	6,951.55
2,400 Chicago, Milw. St. Paul &	
Pac. R.R. 5% Income De-	
bentures, 1/1/2055	1,340.65

400	Chicago, Milw. St. Paul & Pac. R.R. Mtge. 4½% Income Bonds, Series B 2044	406.04
6,000	Southern California Edison Co. 3⅝% 1st & Ref. Bonds 8/15/78	6,134.76
6,000	Wisconsin Electric Power Co. 3⅞% 1st Mtge. Bonds 4/15/86	6,322.50
1,000	B & M RR 1st Mtge. 4% Bonds Series RR 7/1/60	920.71
2,500	B & M RR Income Mtge. Bonds, Series A, 4½%, due 7/1/70	2,301.79
	Deposits in Milford Savings Bank	10,143.30
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		\$84,508.56

Income from Investments

For Year Ending Dec. 31, 1958 \$ 2,564.10

Paid:

Library Department	\$ 2,214.68
Public Welfare Department	180.83
Park Department	56.84
Hopedale Village Cemetery	102.19
Town Cemetery	9.56

\$ 2,564.10

Respectfully submitted,
ALFRED A. LOVEJOY, JR.,
Town Treasurer.

DOG LICENSES ISSUED

211 Male, 31 Female, 127 Spayed, 4 Kennel. Amount sent to County Treasurer, \$777.75 of which amount \$611.09 was returned to the Town.

SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED

Resident Fishing	204
Resident Hunting	74
Resident Sporting	85
Resident Sporting Free of Charge	22
Resident Minor Fishing	33
Resident Female Fishing	26
Duplicate License	8
Resident Citizen Fishing — Blind	1
Non-Resident Sporting	1
Non-Resident Fishing	2

ASSESSORS' REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

Valuation of Real Estate excluding Land	\$7,065,620.00
Valuation of Real Estate excluding Buildings....	600,250.00
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Total Valuation of Real Estate	\$7,665,870.00
Valuation of Personal Property	237,620.00
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Total Valuation	\$7,903,490.00
Tax Rate per \$1,000	\$53.50
Tax on Real Estate	\$410,126.94
Tax on Personal Property	12,713.54
Number of Polls Assessed	1312

Tax on Each Poll	2.00	
Tax on Polls		2,624.00
Committed on 1957 Motor Vehicle Excise		
Tax @ \$57.10 Per \$1,000.....	5,837.69	
Committed on 1958 Motor Vehicle Excise		
Tax @ \$60.25 Per \$1,000	52,698.09	
Total Amount Raised by Taxation		484,000.26
Corporation Tax, Business 1958		110,588.20
Income Tax, 1958		19,456.50
Meals Tax		764.47
General Government		3,754.00
Water Department		41,730.80
Reimbursement for Worc. County Sanitorium		212.86
Aid to Dependent Children (Other than Federal		
Grants)	292.58	
Old Age Assistance (Other than Federal Grants) ..	10,562.72	
Disability Assistance	3,100.42	
Public Welfare, Temporary Aid	257.25	
Abatement for Tax Exempt Veterans	286.76	
Veterans' Benefits	609.93	
Massachusetts State School Aid (Chapter 70)	31,743.51	
Schools	7,393.04	
State Assistance for Memorial School Construc-		
tion	4,489.04	
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		\$ 719,242.34

Number of Persons Assessed on Property	1820
Number of Polls Assessed	1312
Number of Horses Assessed	6
Number of Donkeys Assessed	1
Number of Cows Assessed.....	2

Number of Fowl Assessed	800
Number of Acres Assessed	2839
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	918
Population	4024

ALFRED A. NORMAN,

CHARLES R. COX,

PERRY MacNEVIN,

Board of Assessors

APPRAISEMENT OF TOWN PROPERTY

DECEMBER 31, 1958

Town House	\$147,000.00
Town House Lot	4,400.00
Town House, store fixtures	500.00
Town House, Post Office Equipment	1,000.00
Town House, Furniture and Fixtures	3,500.00
Town House, Offices, Furniture and Equipment	3,000.00
Town House, Water Department	2,000.00

SCHOOL

School House, Dutcher Street	125,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	11,000.00
School House lot, 1 acre	6,500.00
School House, Park Street	109,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	7,000.00
School House lot, Park Street	7,500.00
General Draper High School Building, Adin St.	500,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	20,000.00
General Draper School lots (2) Adin St.	12,500.00
Hopedale Memorial School, Adin St.	372,400.00
Furniture and Fixtures	26,000.00

Hopedale Memorial School lot, Adin Street, (10.26 acres)	11,950.00
3 School Buses	12,000.00

LIBRARY

Bancroft Memorial Library (Building)	89,000.00
Public Library (Books and Fixtures)	35,000.00
Mrs. Susan Preston Draper Fountain	10,000.00
Library Lot	4,000.00

PARK

Band Stand, including tools	1,500.00
Comfort Station	1,500.00
Bath House	5,000.00
Shelters and Fireplaces	300.00
Land, 306 Acres	22,300.00
Playground Equipment	2,000.00
Tool House	1,500.00
Jeep	2,000.00

FIRE

Apparatus	69,300.00
Equipment and Furniture	32,600.00
Fire Station	120,000.00
Fire Station Lot	2,000.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Two Chevrolet Cruisers	5,000.00
Equipment	1,500.00

TREE WARDEN

Small Tools and Materials	100.00
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HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Buildings and Land	30,000.00
Small Tools and Equipment	3,500.00
Street Tractor and V Plow	600.00
Sidewalk Tractor and Plow (Rubber Tires)	800.00
Sidewalk Tractor and Plow	300.00
Dodge 4-wheel Drive Power Wagon	3,000.00
3 Ton Truck, International	2,500.00
Walter Snow Fighter	4,300.00
International 2 Ton Truck	1,500.00
Sand Spreaders (4)	2,500.00
Autocar 3 Ton Truck	150.00
Snow Removal Equipment	2,800.00
Grader and Road Drag	200.00
Sand Conveyor	1,500.00
Street Sweeper and Brooms	3,500.00
Snow Loader	3,700.00
Ford Overhead Loader	1,000.00
Leaf Collector	1,500.00

WATER DEPARTMENT

Mains, Hydrants, etc.	154,700.00
Standpipe	50,000.00
Pumping Station Building	9,000.00
Wells and Suction Connections	24,500.00
Land	2,250.00
Machinery and Equipment	35,000.00
Ford Truck	2,000.00
Small Tools	2,000.00
Compressor	2,100.00
Supplies	5,500.00

C. VICTOR PEPPER,

HERBERT A. PICKARD,

LLOYD G. McCRUM,

Selectmen of Hopedale

SIXTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

Year Ending December 31, 1958

PLAYGROUND

The playground continued to be extremely popular with the children in town as evidenced by the large number using the facilities each day. This popularity is due in no small part to the excellent work of Mr. F. Carlton Miner, our playground supervisor.

Rehabilitation work on the baseball diamond was continued to level the infield grass which has become uneven over the years.

The school bus was used again this year to transport children living at a distance from the park and the pond.

Tennis decreased somewhat in popularity, with golf taking its place to the extent that lessons were provided using the facilities of the Hopedale Country Club.

The large hand power mower was replaced and a new rotary mower for trimming was purchased.

SWIMMING

Approximately 15,000 used the bathhouse during the summer in spite of the relatively cold wet weather.

Swimming classes were conducted as usual with 149 children passing the tests as follows:

Beginners 56

Intermediates 30

Swimmers 29

Advanced Swimmers 11

Life Saving (Junior) 19

Life Saving (Senior) 4

Bicycle racks were placed at the bathhouse.

RESERVATION

The entire pond was sprayed with chemical weed killer to destroy the submerged vegetation with extremely satisfactory results. A second treatment is planned for the coming year to kill the weeds whose seeds were not affected by the spray this past summer.

The usual pruning and removal of dead trees and broken limbs was continued as well as the cutting of underbrush.

CONTEMPLATED IMPROVEMENTS FOR 1959

Purchase of additional bicycle racks for the bathhouse and for the park.

Replacement of large lockers with more small lockers at the bathhouse.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS H. WEST

L. MARSHALL NEWELL

ROBERT D. MARSO

Park Commissioners

REPORT OF THE ROAD COMMISSIONERS FOR THE YEAR 1958

A new 4-wheel drive light truck was purchased in 1958. We are requesting funds for purchase of a tractor this year to replace the present Ford tractor which is 6 years old. These purchases are part of the continuing program to keep the Highway Department's equipment in good condition.

Approximately 3700 feet of sidewalk were replaced or resurfaced on Dutcher, Daniels, Highland, Hopedale and Freedom Streets during the year.

Other special projects included resurfacing 2000 feet of Greene Street with "mixed-in-place" material from Hopedale Street to the G. & U. tracks and seal coating about 3000 feet of streets.

The Chapter 90 project on Freedom Street from Northrop Street to the Milford Town line was completed under State supervision. The Chapter 90 project for reconstruction of Dutcher Street a distance of about 1500 feet from the Milford Town line is expected to be completed in 1959. The Chapter 90 project for Greene Street from the G. & U. tracks to the Milford Town line is expected to be done in 1960 or 1961 with funds appropriated over two or three years.

Chapter 90 construction projects are financed by the State (one-half), the County (one-fourth) and the Town (one-fourth). The State and County shares are paid from the gasoline tax receipts. The design of the projects is done by the State Department of Public Works and the construction is under its supervision.

ROBERT D. DONLEY, Chairman

RONALD C. TAYLOR

PERRY K. MacNEVIN

Road Commissioners

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

1955 TAXES

Motor Vehicle Excise

To Uncollected at last report	\$	65.28		
Interest collected		3.72		
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr., Treasurer			\$	69.00
	\$	69.00	\$	69.00

1956 TAXES

Real Estate

To Uncollected at last report	\$	495.91	
Interest collected		9.12	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,			
Treasurer	\$	158.33	
Uncollected		346.70	
	\$	505.03	\$ 505.03

Motor Vehicle Excise

To Uncollected at last report	\$	1,136.22	
Interest collected		20.21	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,			
Treasurer	\$	346.07	
Taxes abated		110.34	
Uncollected		700.02	
	\$	1,156.43	\$ 1,156.43

PERSONAL PROPERTY

To Uncollected at last report	\$	32.64	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,			
Treasurer	\$	25.00	
Uncollected		7.64	
	\$	32.64	\$ 32.64

1957 TAXES

Real Estate

To Uncollected at last report	\$	6,755.01	
Abated after payment — refunded	\$	93.00	
Interest collected	\$	100.03	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,			
Treasurer	\$	5,563.12	

Taxes abated	93.00	
Uncollected	1,291.92	
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	\$ 6,948.04	\$ 6,948.04

SEWER ASSESSMENT

To Uncollected at Last Report	\$ 30.00	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$ 10.00
Uncollected		20.00
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	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00

Motor Vehicle Excise

To Uncollected at last report	\$11,306.83	
Committed for Collection	5,837.69	
Interest collected	7.06	
Abated after payment — refunded	238.33	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$14,870.85
Taxes abated		815.35
Uncollected		1,703.71
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	\$17,389.91	\$17,389.91

Personal Property

To uncollected at last report	\$ 139.27	
Interest collected06	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$ 2.39
Uncollected		136.94
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	\$ 139.33	\$ 139.33

1958 TAXES

Poll

To Committed for Collection	\$ 2,624.00	
Interest collected	2.31	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$ 2,178.31
Taxes abated		448.00
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	\$ 2,626.31	\$ 2,626.31

Personal Estate

To Committed for Collection	\$12,713.54	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$12,550.43
Taxes abated		8.03
Uncollected		155.08
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$ 12,713.54	\$ 12,713.54

Real Estate

To Committed for Collection	\$410,126.94	
Abated after payment—refunded	26.75	
Interest collected	28.04	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$394,648.24
Taxes abated		7,565.91
Uncollected		7,967.58
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	\$410,181.73	\$410,181.73

Sewer Assessment

To Committed for Collection	\$ 440.00	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$ 400.00
Uncollected		40.00
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$ 440.00	\$ 440.00

Motor Vehicle Excise

To Committed for Collection	\$ 52,698.09	
Taxes abated after payment —		
refunded	488.81	
Interest collected .....	.70	
By Cash paid to A. A. Lovejoy, Jr.,		
Treasurer		\$ 45,833.15
Taxes abated		2,846.38
Uncollected		4,507.97
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	\$ 53,187.60	\$ 53,187.60

SHIRLEY E. HOLMES,

Tax Collector.

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

After numerous meetings investigating rules, regulations and by-laws concerning subdivision, the Planning Board drew up and voted to adopt a group of rules and regulations, consistent with State Laws, to govern subdivision in the Town of Hopedale.

A public hearing was held on August 4, 1958 at 8 P.M. in the Hopedale Town Hall at which time these rules and regulations became the laws of subdivision in the Town of Hopedale. These rules and regulations have been recorded both with the

Land Court of Massachusetts and the Registry of Deeds in the Worcester County Court House.

These laws have been published in book form, and along with applications, are on hand at the Town Clerk's Office.

HORACE H. BEAUDET, Chairman
 DR. JOHN R. CICHETTI
 CHARLES MONGEON
 ARTHUR H. FITZGERALD
 EDWARD L. CONDON, Secretary
 Planning Board

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

To the Board of Selectmen:

Herewith I submit my annual report of the financial transactions of the Town of Hopedale for the year ending December 31, 1958.

1. Sources of Revenue and Distribution of Expenditures.
2. Balance Sheet.
3. Status of the Surplus Revenue Account.
4. Detailed report of Receipts from all sources of income.
5. Detailed report of the Expenditures of each Department.
6. Recapitulation and Estimate Table showing the Appropriations, Receipts and Transfers, Expenditures, Balances December 31, 1958 and the estimated costs to run the various departments for the coming year as submitted by them.

All the Town Departments have my thanks for the cooperation they have shown during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MILLARD A. LOVEJOY,
 Town Accountant.

1958

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	<i>% of Receipts</i>
Local Taxes (Poll, Real and Personal and Motor Vehicles Excise)	56
Corporation and Income Taxes Distribution from Commonwealth	15
Federal, State and County Grants	11
School Department	3
Water Department	5
Withholding Taxes, Retirement and Group Ins.	7
Miscellaneous	3
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	100%

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DISTRIBUTION OF TOWN EXPENSES

	<i>% of Expenditures</i>
General Government	3
Protection of Persons and Property	10
Highways	10
Charities	5
Schools	40
Library	1
Parks and Recreation	2
Water Department	5
Debts (Bond and Int.)	6
Agencies	8
Unclassified	3
Withholding Taxes, Retirement and Group Ins.	7
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	100%

TOWN OF HOPEDALE BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 1958

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash:					
General	\$444,073.52				\$ 975.00
Tax Collector	50.00				2,482.50
Library	20.00				3,935.72
School Cafeteria	30.00				557.19
		\$444,173.52			4,492.91

Accounts Receivable:

Taxes — Levy of 1956	346.70				
Taxes — Levy of 1957	1,291.92				
Taxes — Levy of 1958	7,967.58				429.54
Personal Property 1956	7.64				164.41
Personal Property 1957	136.94				
Personal Property 1958	155.08				1,700.58
		9,905.86			2,294.53

Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise:

Levy of 1956	700.02				18.00
Levy of 1957	1,703.71				8,000.00
Levy of 1958	4,507.97				150.37
		6,911.70			1,001.79

Special Assessment (Sewer) 1957 1958

	20.00				
	40.00				6,000.00

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Temporary Loans — Chapter 90	\$ 975.00				\$ 975.00
Premium on Loans					2,482.50
Employees Payroll Deductions:					3,935.72
Federal Withholding Taxes					557.19
County Retirement System					

Beatrice A. Billings Library Donation

Federal Grants:					32.35
Disability Assistance:					429.54
Aid to Dependent Children:					164.41
Aid					
Old Age Assistance:					1,700.58
Assistance					

Tailings					18.00
Highway Department — Chapter 718					8,000.00
Revolving Funds:					150.37
School Lunch					1,001.79
School Athletics					

Appropriation Balances:					
Highway Department — Dutcher St.					6,000.00
Chapter 90					

TOWN OF HOPEDALE BALANCE SHEET - Continued

Departmental:					
Aid to Dependent Children	88.83			46.12	6,046.12
Old Age Assistance, (Outside Cities and Town)	369.65				
School (Tuition)	13.75				
Water:		472.23			
Services	21.00				
Rates	26.02				
			47.02		
Aid to Highways:					315,075.29
State:					
Chapter 90	12,629.00			900.00	900.00
County:				2,446.34	2,446.34
Chapter 90	6,514.50			100.00	100.00
		19,143.50			
Unprovided for Accounts:					650.65
Group Insurance (Contributions) ..	420.62			19,143.50	19,143.50
Group Insurance (Contributions) — Retired	10.23			6,911.70	
Blue Cross — Blue Shield — Non-Contributory	75.45			472.23	
		506.30		47.02	
				60.00	7,490.95
TOTAL ASSETS		\$481,220.31		109,919.83	109,919.83
					\$481,220.13

TOWN OF HOPEDALE BALANCE SHEET - Continued

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

Inside Debt Limit:
 General
 Outside Debt Limit:
 General
 Public Service Enterprise

\$220,000.00
 540,000.00
 149,000.00

 \$909,000.00

Serial Loans:

Inside Debt Limit:
 General:
 School Remodeling
 School Const. (Mem. Sch'l)
 Outside Debt Limit:
 General:
 School Construction (High Sch'l)
 School Construction (Mem. Sch'l)
 Public Service Enterprise:
 Water

\$ 50,000.00
 170,000.00
 400,000.00
 140,000.00
 149,000.00

 \$909,000.00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

Trust Funds Cash and Securities:
 In custody of Town Treasurer

\$ 84,508.56

 \$ 84,508.56

Jessie Preston Draper Charity Fund
 Library Funds
 William F., George A., and Eben S.
 Draper, Park Fund
 Town Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds
 Hopedale Village Cemetery Perpetual
 Care Funds

\$ 5,779.01
 73,329.72
 1,892.46
 294.41
 3,212.96

 \$ 84,508.56

STATUS of the SURPLUS REVENUE ACCOUNT
PAST and CURRENT YEAR

January 1, 1958 — Credit Balance	\$ 72,568.70
Uncollected Taxes and/or Unprovided for Ac- counts	7,944.74
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Balance Available — Free Cash	\$ 64,623.96
January 1, 1959 — Credit Balance	\$109,919.83
Uncollected Taxes and/or Unprovided for Ac- counts	10,292.41
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Available Free Cash which may be used in 1959 to reduce Taxes	99,627.42

This amount has been certified by Herman B. Dine—Director of Accounts, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, according to Sec. 23, Chapter 59 of the General Laws as Amended.

1958

RECEIPTS

General Revenue:

Taxes:

1958:

Poll	\$ 2,176.00
Personal Property	12,550.43
Real Estate	396,672.26

Previous Years:

Personal Property	27.33
Real Estate	5,592.30

\$ 417,018.32

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:

Corporation	110,588.20
Income	19,456.50
Meal	764.47

130,809.17

Permits and Fines:

Milk	2.00
Junk	15.00
Used Car and Others	135.45
Fines	40.00

192.45

Grants:

Federal Government:

O.A.A.	14,145.61
A.D.C.	748.83
Dis. Assistance	2,711.03

17,605.47

State:

Massachusetts School Aid	31,743.51
Mass. School Bldg. Ass't. (2 yrs.)	8,978.08
Vocational Education and Transportation	1,845.05
Highways — Chapter 718	4,000.00
Veteran's Benefits	609.93
School Lunch	8,282.49
School Transportation	1,529.24
Tuition and Transportation of State Wards (2 yrs.)	6,649.08
Aid to Retarded Children	181.21
Reimbursement for Worcester County San.	212.86
Abatement for Tax Exempt Vet- erans	286.76

64,318.21

Commercial Revenue:**General Government:**

Town Hall Rents	3,754.00	3,754.00
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Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	59.60	
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Board of Health — T.B. Hospital Expense	750.00	
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Sealer of Weights and Measures	168.10	
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Civilian Defense	25.00	
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		1,002.70
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Highways:**Chapter 90**

State	5,820.25	
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Chapter 90

County	3,109.75	
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Snow Removal and Equipment

Rental	140.00	
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		9,070.00
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Public Welfare:**Temporary Aid and Transportation (Mass.)**

	257.25	
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Disability Assistance (Mass.)	3,100.42	
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A.D.C. (Mass.)	292.58	
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O.A.A. (Mass.)	9,632.21	
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O.A.A. (Cities and Towns)	930.51	
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O.A.A. (Individuals)	71.20	
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Trust Funds	180.83	
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O.A.A. Recovery	44.73	
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A.D.C. Recovery	100.00	
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		14,609.73
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Schools:

Tuition	513.00	
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Sundries	185.00	
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Lunch Fund	21,842.17	
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Athletic Fund	1,080.70	
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		23,620.87
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Libraries:

Fines	140.78
B. B. Billings Fund	100.00
Trust Funds	2,214.68

 2,455.46

Park:

Sundries	12.00
Trust Funds	56.84

 68.84

Sale of Real Estate — Park Land	900.00
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900.00

Dog Licenses from County	611.09
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611.09

Sewers:

Assessments	420.00
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420.00

Commercial Revenue:

Motor Vehicle Excise Tax:

1955	65.28
1956	325.86
1957	14,863.79
1958	43,790.49

 59,045.42

Water Department:

Sale of Water	39,170.76
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Service Connections	2,560.04
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 41,730.80

Cemeteries:

Hopedale Village Cemetery —

Trust Funds	102.19
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Town Cemetery — Trust Funds	9.56
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 111.75

Interest:

Milford Savings Bank

(Bk. 52048)	196.70
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Deferred Taxes	137.44
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M. V. Excise Taxes	33.54
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Investment Funds	1,365.42
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 1,733.10

Agency:

Dog Licenses for County	789.50	789.50
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Refunds:

Park Department	2.00	
Police Department	32.36	
Highway	6.60	
Group Insurance	83.88	
Veteran's Services	43.44	
Fire Insurance Claims	827.18	
Tailings	37.35	
	<hr/>	1,032.81

Transfers:

Federal Withholding Tax	43,747.47	
County Retirement Fund	5,963.26	
Group Insurance	4,986.38	
Group Insurance — Retired	91.40	
Municipal Indebtedness — Blue Cross - Blue Shield — Non- Contributory	1,027.80	
	<hr/>	55,816.31

Tax Anticipation Loan	150,000.00	
Temporary Loan — Chapter 90— Reimbursement	3,975.00	
Bond Issue — New H. S. Bldg.	450,000.00	
Premium on Loans	3,982.50	
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	<hr/>	\$1,454,673.50
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EXPENDITURES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

General Administration:

Clerical Expense	\$ 1,441.47	
Town Reports	806.14	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	279.12	
Repairs	160.53	
Travel Expense	47.52	
Dues	15.00	
Office Expense	9.46	
Supplies	81.74	
Sneiderman Agreement	186.08	
Sundries	10.00	
Halloween Expense	65.00	
	<hr/>	3,102.06

Selectmen:

Salaries — Selectmen	750.00	
Salaries — Clerical	507.68	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	43.94	
Telephone	202.96	
Dues and Subscriptions	35.00	
Travel Expense	70.38	
Office Expense	24.00	
	<hr/>	1,633.96

Town Accountant:

Salaries	400.00	
Salaries — Clerical	100.00	
Printing, Stationery	11.83	
Travel Expenses	138.33	
	<hr/>	650.16

Treasurer:

Salaries	700.00	
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Salaries — Clerical	50.00	
Telephone	73.59	
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	23.30	
Travel Expenses	91.30	
Sundries	29.00	
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		967.19
Tax Collector:		
Salaries	900.00	
Salaries — Clerical	25.00	
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	406.09	
All Other	12.27	
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		1,343.36
Assessors:		
Salaries	700.00	
Salaries — Clerical	573.75	
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	84.94	
Travel Expense	143.66	
Repairs	24.50	
Abstracts	107.46	
Appraisal Services	80.00	
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		1,714.31
Inspection:		
Sealer of Weights and Meas-		
ures	137.27	
Electrical	117.00	
Dog Officer	231.00	
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		485.27
Town Counsel	500.00	500.00
Law Suit — A. Macchi	1,000.00	1,000.00
Town Clerk:		
Salaries	200.00	
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	172.45	

Telephone	83.17	
Dues and Subscriptions	18.00	
Travel Expense	98.33	
	<hr/>	571.95

Elections:

Salaries and Wages including Clerk	358.20	
Gym Rental	50.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	408.15	
Sundries	13.85	
	<hr/>	830.20

Registrations:

Salary and Wages of Registrars	334.00	
Clerical	468.25	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	552.35	
Car Hire	25.00	
	<hr/>	1,379.60

Planning Board	162.66	162.66
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Town Hall:

Salaries	1,562.40	
Heat	600.00	
Light	573.35	
Janitor's Supplies	96.88	
Repairs — Post Office, Spa and Offices	8,266.86	
All Other	19.86	
Garbage Removal	25.00	
	<hr/>	11,144.35

\$ 25,485.07

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Police Department:

Salaries and Wages:

Regular Duty	\$ 16,314.49
Special Duty	614.65
Clerical	54.00
Janitors	129.60
Office Equipment, Printing and Supplies	170.90
Station Repairs	81.88
Telephone	449.57
Repairs and Maintenance of Cruiser	616.25
Gas and Oil	1,376.13
Equipment	314.18
Clothing	308.98
New Cruiser	1,424.87
All Other	19.59
Heat	150.00
Travel Expense	26.27
Dues and Subscriptions	25.00

22,076.36

Fire Department:

Salaries and Wages:

Permanent Firemen	32,429.85
Engine #4	1,505.00
Ladder #1	1,205.00
Combination #1	1,505.00
Fire Engineers	500.00
Clerk	180.00
Miscellaneous Labor	328.65

37,653.50

Equipment and Repairs:

Apparatus	1,418.02	
Apparatus Repairs	82.83	
Gasoline	263.00	
Hose	597.80	
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Hydrant Service	190.00	190.00
Heat	600.00	
Light	245.49	
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Buildings and Grounds:

Repairs and Maintenance	398.64	
Supplies	340.45	
Laundry	81.02	
Equipment	188.25	
	<hr/>	1,008.36

Supplies, Printing and Post-

age	98.93	
Telephone	458.40	
Dues and Subscriptions	16.25	
New Truck	1,430.50	
Medical Expense	37.70	
Travel Expense	12.00	
	<hr/>	2,053.78

Fire Alarm System:

Wages	257.28	
Material	532.62	
Sundries	7.80	
	<hr/>	797.70

Brush Fires:

Wages	258.00	
Material	483.44	
Clerical	54.00	

Meals	15.92	
Repairs	35.00	
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		846.36

TOTAL		<hr/>	45,756.84
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Civilian Defense:

Equipment	130.81	
Material	212.46	
Labor	86.81	
Travel Expense	64.80	
Communications	412.50	
Sundries	13.49	
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		920.87

Forestry:

Trimming Trees	996.13	
Salaries	75.00	
Dutch Elm Disease	2,000.00	
Insect Pest Control	3,000.00	
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		6,071.13

Health Department:

Contagious Diseases:

Polio Vaccine Program	143.79	
Tuberculosis — Board and Treatment	1,220.50	
District Nursing Association ..	176.00	
Aerial Spraying —		
Encephalitis	282.39	
Vital Statistics	159.00	
All Other	17.00	
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		1,998.68

TOTAL		<hr/>	<hr/>	\$ 76,823.88
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HIGHWAYS:

General Administration:

Supervision	\$	935.40	
Clerical		208.00	
Towels		45.65	
Telephone		287.24	
Dues and Subscriptions		6.00	
Lighting		109.23	
Maintenance and Repairs		102.77	
Medical Expense		31.00	
Heat		200.00	
Supplies, Printing and Postage		57.33	
Registrations and Inspections		36.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 2,018.62

Street Repairs:

Salaries and Wages	5,489.73	
Materials	2,886.35	
Equipment Hire	447.41	
	<hr/>	8,823.49

Maintenance of Equipment	2,988.49	2,988.49
Gas, Oil, Tires and Chains	3,170.86	3,170.86
Painting Cross Walks	183.89	183.89

New Sidewalk Replacement:

Salaries and Wages	2,695.95	
Material	2,262.62	
Equipment Hire	1,025.64	
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Sidewalk Maintenance:

Salaries and Wages	869.70	
Materials	115.00	
Contractor	100.00	
	<hr/>	1,084.70

Catch Basins and Drains:

Salaries and Wages	2,799.60	
Materials	159.84	
	<hr/>	2,959.44

Snow and Ice Control:

Salaries and Wages	9,490.69
Material	5,255.37
Equipment Repairs	619.94
Equipment Hire	2,460.56

17,826.56
Tools, Supplies and Equipment

1,325.03

1,325.03

Street Signs

366.93

366.93

Street Cleaning and Leaf Removal:

Salaries and Wages 7,274.30

All Other 554.88

7,829.18
Sewer Charges

220.00

220.00

Freedom Street Construction:

Contract

11,260.48

11,260.48

Tree Belt:

Wages

3,232.98

Material

256.55

New Truck

3,156.95

6,646.48
Mendon Street Maintenance:

Chapter 90

1,183.30

1,183.30

TOTAL

\$ 73,871.66
PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT:**General Administration:**

Salaries and Wages \$ 254.00

Office Repairs 387.30

Equipment 159.07

Travel Expense 141.79

Printing, Supplies and Post-
age 8.00

Dues and Subscriptions 3.00

953.16

Outside Relief:

Groceries and Provisions	114.55	
Board and Care	10.50	
Medicine and Medical At- tendance	991.96	
Cash Grants to Individuals ..	241.07	
Housing Expense	21.81	
	<hr/>	1,379.89
Relief by other Cities and Towns	243.00	243.00
Administration — O.A.A. — A.D.C. and D.A.	1,539.32	1,539.32
Aid to Dependent Children— Grants	360.00	
Disability Assistance	4,491.15	
Old Age Assistance:		
Cash Grants	13,683.37	
To other Cities and Towns....	1,913.97	
	<hr/>	20,448.49
Old Age Assistance (Federal Grant):		
Cash	11,556.08	
Administration	1,053.15	
	<hr/>	12,609.23
Aid to Dependent Children (Federal Grant):		
Cash	411.60	
Administration	199.83	
	<hr/>	611.43
Disability Assistance (Federal Grant):		
Cash	2,135.22	
Administration	154.49	
	<hr/>	2,289.71
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TOTAL		\$ 40,074.23

VETERAN'S BENEFITS:

Salaries	\$	200.00	
Travel and Office Expense		526.58	
Allowances		671.33	
Medical		14.75	
			<u>1,412.66</u>
TOTAL	\$		41,486.89

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT:

General Administration:

Salary — Superintendent	\$	9,000.00	
Clerk		3,222.00	
Printing, Stationery and			
Postage		144.25	
Telephone		1,059.91	
Travel Expense		608.29	
Dues and Subscriptions		548.74	
Vocational Guidance		62.00	
Driver Training		224.00	
Visual Education — Includ-			
ing Television		336.95	
Graduation Speaker		55.00	
Garage Rental		30.00	
Registrations		41.75	
Miscellaneous Labor — In-			
cluding Snow Removal		87.00	
Miscellaneous Printing		96.15	
			<u>15,516.04</u>
Rinehart System		825.00	825.00
Lunch Fund		32,635.24	32,635.24
Athletic Fund		3,042.86	3,042.86
Teacher's Salaries:			
High School		57,194.88	
Elementary		122,612.67	
			<u>179,807.55</u>

Text Books and Supplies:

High School	6,017.97	
Elementary	8,203.87	
	<hr/>	14,221.84

Vocational Training:

Tuition	1,142.02	
Transportation	496.40	
	<hr/>	1,638.42

Transportation	7,161.66	7,161.66
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Janitor's Services:

High School	3,489.00	
Elementary	10,521.75	
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Fuel and Light:

High School	3,814.80	
Elementary	9,276.97	
	<hr/>	13,091.77

Maintenance of Buildings and
Grounds:

Special Repairs	1,087.25	
High School:		
Repairs	2,519.50	
Janitor's Supplies	1,140.15	
Elementary Schools:		
Repairs	4,441.71	
Janitor's Supplies	1,380.35	
Garbage Removal	50.00	
	<hr/>	10,618.96

Furniture and Furnishings:

High School	1,585.50	
Elementary Schools	1,085.14	
New Equipment	801.37	
	<hr/>	3,472.01

Gymnasium Rental	5,000.00	5,000.00
School Health:		
Physician	500.00	
Nurse	1,550.00	
Miscellaneous	65.49	
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General Draper High School:		
Remodeling and New Construction	164,113.78	
Architectural Services	20,294.75	
Planning Committee	3,020.25	
	<hr/>	187,428.78
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TOTAL		\$ 490,586.37

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT:

General Administration:

Salaries and Wages — Librarian, Assistants and Janitor \$	6,314.95	
Clerical	136.00	
Books	721.13	
Periodicals	263.15	
Supplies	157.40	
Binding	160.52	
Telephone	93.51	
Heat	300.00	
Dues and Subscriptions	6.00	
Light	331.10	
	<hr/>	8,483.76

Buildings:

Repairs	1,745.69	
Care of Grounds	476.24	
Miscellaneous Expenses	130.00	
	<hr/>	2,351.93

B. R. Billings Fund	177.65	177.65
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TOTAL	\$ 11,013.34
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PARK DEPARTMENT:

Bath House:

Labor	\$ 2,313.28	
Clerical	166.80	
Repairs	95.35	
Light	70.12	
Supplies	494.97	
		3,140.52

Reservation:

Labor	376.65	
Maintenance	55.26	
Weed Control	2,314.00	
Supplies	36.98	
Insect Suppression	38.25	
Miscellaneous Expenses	8.60	
		2,829.74

Parks and Playgrounds:

Labor	5,801.16	
Repairs	769.57	
Light	120.68	
Supplies	1,092.90	
Gas, Oil and Repairs to Jeep	255.78	
Miscellaneous Expenses	42.17	
		8,082.26

TOTAL	\$ 14,052.52
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WATER DEPARTMENT:

General Administration:

Salary—Superintendent and Clerk	\$ 2,096.36
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Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	304.20	
Telephone	222.12	
Travel Expense	25.90	
Miscellaneous Expenses	26.45	
	<hr/>	2,675.03

General:

Labor	9,483.85	
Truck and Repairs	128.90	
Building Repairs	75.00	
Pipe Fittings and Hydrants ..	939.47	
Equipment & Shop Tools	398.86	
Water Purchase	2,328.96	
Supplies	342.20	
	<hr/>	13,697.14

Pumping Station:

Fuel, Light and Power	4,030.98	
Boiler and Pumps	12.54	
Repairs	453.91	
	<hr/>	4,497.43

Services:

Pipe and Fittings	2,627.96	
Equipment Hire	338.50	
Contractors Services	319.55	
Miscellaneous Supplies	24.31	
	<hr/>	3,310.32

Extensions:

Pipe and Fittings	733.51	
Equipment	731.03	
Labor	1,857.65	
Gas and Oil	50.40	
	<hr/>	3,372.59

Unclassified:

Soda Ash	2,209.77	
Source of Supply	1,843.63	

Meters and Supplies	756.46	
Water Analysis	228.86	
Exploration for New Source of Supply	1,933.17	
	<hr/>	6,971.89
TOTAL		\$ 34,524.40

UNCLASSIFIED:

Hope Street Bridge Committee \$	970.00	
Memorial Day	400.00	
Insurance	8,132.76	
Hopedale Village Cemetery ...	102.19	
Town Cemetery	308.82	
Group Insurance Appropriation— Life	1,072.62	
Group Insurance Appropriation— BX-BS	3,907.99	
Preparation of School Bonds ..	1,500.00	
Street Lights	6,724.49	
	<hr/>	23,118.87

AGENCIES:

Auditing Municipal Accounts ..	1,034.24	
State Parks and Reservations ..	2,793.03	
County Tax	33,613.30	
Worcester County Sanatorium ..	13,097.61	
Dog Licenses for County	789.50	
Worcester County Retirement Assessment	6,720.98	
	<hr/>	58,048.66

REFUNDS:

Taxes	119.75	
M. V. Excise	727.14	
	<hr/>	846.89

TRANSFERS:

Tailings	19.35	
Group Insurance—Life	1,101.41	
Blue Cross — Blue Shield	4,988.56	
Withholding Taxes	43,021.79	
Retirement Fund	5,862.96	
	<hr/>	54,994.07

INTEREST:

Temporary Loans	1,562.10	
School Bonds — Memorial	5,890.00	
Water Bonds	2,980.00	
	<hr/>	10,432.10

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Temporary Loans:

Tax Anticipation Loan	150,000.00	
Highway — Chapter 90	3,000.00	
	<hr/>	153,000.00

General Loans:

Memorial School Bonds	20,000.00	20,000.00
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Public Service Enterprise Loans:

Water Bonds	14,000.00	
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187,000.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$1,102,284.72
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SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Total Receipts	\$1,454,673.50	
Balance on Hand January 1, 1958	91,684.74	
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TOTAL		\$1,546,358.24
 Total Expenditures	 \$1,102,284.72	
Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1958	444,073.52	
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TOTAL		\$1,546,358.24

1958 RECAPITULATION AND ESTIMATES FOR 1959

ACCOUNT	1958 Appropriations	Receipts & Transfers	Total	1958 Expenditures	1958 Balance	1959 Estimates
General Government						
General Administrative Expenses \$	10,000.00	\$	10,000.00	\$ 9,028.06	\$ 971.94	\$ 12,000.00
Town Accountant	400.00		400.00	400.00		400.00
Town Counsel	500.00		500.00	500.00		500.00
Salaries (Elected Town Officials)	3,325.00		3,325.00	3,325.00		3,325.00
Town Hall Expenses	10,000.00	1,200.00	11,200.00	11,144.35	55.65	7,500.00
Planning Board	500.00		500.00	162.66	337.34	500.00
Protection of Persons and Property						
Police (General Maintenance and Expense)	22,700.00		22,700.00	22,076.36	623.64	23,700.00
Fire (General Maintenance)	41,000.00	812.00	41,812.00	41,809.21	2.79	43,000.00
Fire (Hydrants)	300.00		300.00	190.00	110.00	300.00
Fire (Hose)	600.00		600.00	597.80	2.20	600.00
Fire (Alarm System)	800.00		800.00	797.70	2.30	800.00
Fire (Brush Fires)	1,000.00		1,000.00	943.63	56.37	1,000.00
New Pick-up Truck	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,430.50	69.50	1,500.00
Civilian Defense	1,000.00	319.23	1,319.23	920.87	398.36	1,200.00
Tree Warden	1,000.00		1,000.00	996.13	3.87	1,000.00
Insect Pest Control	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00		3,000.00
Dutch Elm Disease	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00
Fire Department (Special Bldg. Repairs)						2,500.00
Health and Sanitation						
Board of Health	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,998.68	1.32	3,000.00
Highways						
General Expense	49,300.00	338.28	49,638.28	49,636.51	1.77	58,700.00

RECAPITULATION AND ESTIMATES FOR 1959 - Continued

Maintenance of Equipment	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,988.49	11.51	3,000.00
Green Street Construction					
Chapter 90					2,000.00
Dutcher Street Construction					
Chapter 90	3,000.00	3,000.00		6,000.00	2,000.00
Freedom Street Construction					
Chapter 90		11,306.60	11,306.60	46.12	
Mendon Street Maintenance					
Chapter 90	1,200.00				1,200.00
Sidewalk Replacement	6,000.00	1,200.00	1,183.30	16.70	
New Streets—Malquin Drive		6,000.00	5,984.21	15.79	
New Truck	3,200.00	3,200.00	3,156.95	43.05	2,000.00
New Tractor					4,000.00

Street Lighting

Street Lighting	7,200.00	7,200.00	6,724.49	475.51	7,700.00
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Public Welfare

Public Welfare and General Relief	6,300.00	180.83	6,480.83	3,904.78	6,300.00
Administrative Expense					
O.A.A., A.D.C., and D.A.	2,200.00		2,200.00	660.68	2,200.00
General Assistance					
(Incl. O.A.A., A.D.C., D.A.)	24,000.00	272.30	24,272.30	3,823.81	24,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children—F.G.					
Administration		576.01	576.01	164.41	
Aid to Dependent Children—F.G.		199.83	199.83		
Old Age Assistance—F.G.					
Administration		1,111.21	1,111.21	58.06	
Old Age Assistance—F.G.		13,198.60	13,198.60	1,642.52	
Disability Assistance—F.G.					
Administration		154.49	154.49		
Disability Assistance—F.G.		2,564.76	2,564.76	429.54	

RECAPITULATION AND ESTIMATES FOR 1959 - Continued

		Veteran Services				
Veteran's Benefits	4,000.00	43.44	4,043.44	1,412.66	2,630.78	4,000.00
Schools						
School Dept. (General Maintenance)	259,755.00		259,755.00	259,753.82	1.81	290,065.00
School Lunch Fund	2,500.00	30,285.61	32,785.61	32,635.24	150.37	3,000.00
School Athletics	2,000.00	2,044.65	4,044.65	3,042.86	1,001.79	2,000.00
School Special Repairs	2,500.00	.71	2,500.71	1,087.25	1,413.46	2,000.00
School Vocational Tuition	3,000.00		3,000.00	1,638.42	1,361.58	2,500.00
Gymnasium Rental	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00		5,000.00
High School Building Committee	17,000.00	3,887.25	20,887.25	20,887.25		
High School Building Construction and Remodeling	28,775.00	450,000.00	478,775.00	166,541.53	312,233.47	
Library						
Library (General)	7,500.00	611.09	8,111.09	8,111.09		10,000.00
Library (Trust Fund Account)		2,724.60	2,724.60	2,724.60		
B. R. Billings Fund		210.00	210.00	177.65	32.35	
Parks and Recreation						
Park Department(General Maintenance)	14,000.00	56.84	14,056.84	14,052.52	4.32	15,500.00
Water Department						
Water Department (General Maintenance)	33,500.00		33,500.00	32,591.23	908.77	33,500.00
Water Department (Exploration—Source of Supply)	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,933.17	66.83	26,000.00
Unclassified						
Hope Street Bridge Committee	2,000.00		2,000.00	970.00	1,030.00	10,000.00
Insurance (General)	9,000.00		9,000.00	8,132.76	867.24	

RECAPITULATION AND ESTIMATES FOR 1959 - Continued

Memorial Day	400.00	400 00	400.00	
Cemetery	300.00	309 56	308.82	
Reserve Fund	7,500.00	7,500 00	1,525.00	.74
Group Insurance	5,500.00	5,583.88	4,980.61	5,975.00
				603.27
				6,000.00
Maturing Debt and Interest				
School Bonds—Memorial School	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00
School Bonds—General Draper				
High School				
Water Bonds	14,000.00	14,000.00	14,000.00	25,000.00
Interest of School Bonds (Memorial School)	5,890.00	5,890.00	5,890.00	14,000.00
Interest on School Bonds (General Draper High School				5,510.00
Interest on Water Bonds	2,980.00	2,980.00	2,980.00	16,200.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	2,500.00	2,500.00	1,562.10	2,700.00
				937.90
Totals	\$ 658,625.00	\$ 525,191.77	\$ 834,668.19	\$ 349,148.58
				\$ 723,200.00

SCHOOL COMMITTEE REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Appropriation		\$259,755.00
Expenditures:		
Supervision	\$ 12,738.01	
Teachers	179,807.55	
Textbooks	4,337.42	
Supplies	10,220.80	
Janitors	13,897.25	
Fuel	8,546.19	
Janitors' Supplies	2,498.90	
Repairs	7,307.23	
Health	2,115.49	
Transportation	7,155.38	
Miscellaneous	2,571.03	
New Equipment	2,955.58	
Telephones, Gas, and Electricity ..	5,602.99	
Unexpended	1.18	
	<hr/>	\$259,755.00

Receipts

Tuition	\$ 513.00	
Miscellaneous (including Building Rentals)	185.00	
State Reimbursement—Transporta- tion (Chapter 71)	1,529.24	
State Reimbursement—Chapter 70	31,743.51	
State Reimbursement—Chapter 76 For 1958—\$3,321.86 For 1957—\$3,327.22	6,649.08	
State Reimbursement — Mentally Retarded	118.21	
	<hr/>	\$ 40,738.04

Net Cost of Support of Schools to Town	\$219,016.96
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Special Appropriation for Rental of

George Albert Draper Memorial Gymnasium

Appropriation	\$ 5,000.00
Expenditures	\$ 5,000.00

Special Appropriation for Repairs

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1958	\$.71	
Appropriation	2,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,500.71
Expended	\$ 1,087.25	
Unexpended	1,413.46	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,500.71

School Lunch Program

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1958	\$ 160.95	
Appropriation	2,500.00	
Receipts from Commonwealth of Massachusetts	8,282.49	
Lunchroom Receipts	21,842.17	
	<hr/>	\$ 32,785.61
Expenditures	\$ 32,635.24	
Unexpended	150.37	
	<hr/>	\$ 32,785.61

High School Athletic Association

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1958	\$ 963.95	
Appropriation	2,000.00	
Receipts	1,080.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,044.65
Expenditures	\$ 3,042.86	
Unexpended	1,001.79	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,044.65

Vocational School Tuition and Transportation

Appropriation		\$ 3,000.00
Expended:		
Tuition	\$ 1,366.07	
Transportation	272.35	
Unexpended	1,361.58	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,000.00
State Reimbursement		\$ 1,845.05
Net Cost to Town		\$ 1,155.00

JOHN W. HUTCHINSON, Chairman

ANN P. THIBAUT,

ARTHUR S. WILSON,

School Committee.

HOPEDALE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SCHOOL DIRECTORY 1958-59

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS: Donald S. Dow, Office in High School Building

Residence, 6 Inman Street, Hopedale, Massachusetts

TEACHERS

HIGH SCHOOL	SUBJECT OR GRADE	LOCAL ADDRESS
Winburn A. Dennett	Principal	5 Dennett Street
Sewall M. Drisko	Asst. Prin., Social Studies	28 Prospect Street
Alfred A. Aaron	Higher Mathematics	87 Hopedale Street
Alice B. Britnell	Home Economics	Highgate Rd., Framingham Center
Andree J. Fanning	Commercial Subjects	115 Rebekah Street, Woonsocket
Richard Headstrom	Science	95 Douglas Drive, Bellingham
Frances L. Holmes	English, Latin	141 Greene Street
John M. Kellett*	English, Science, Math.	43 Pleasant Street, Milford
Alfred B. Mitchell, Jr.	Commercial Subjects	80 Hopedale Street
Ernest F. Miller	Industrial Arts	12 Soward Street
Keith B. Moore**	English, Science, Math.	55 Bancroft Park
Maurice A. Morin	Foreign Languages	87 Hopedale Street
Linwood L. Workman, Jr.	Mathematics, Driving	22 Prospect Street

DUTCHER STREET SCHOOL

Robert A. Berquist	Principal	18 Maple Street
Stanton T. Baker	English, Grades 7 and 8	West Upton (Box 109)
Richard G. Innis	Science, Grades 7 and 8	14 Oliver Street, Milford
Bernard S. Kushlan	Social Studies, Grs. 7 and 8	31 Pleasant Street, Milford
Elizabeth J. Mongeon	Grade 6	180 Dutcher Street
M. Frances Rae	Kindergarten (½ year)	120 Mill Street
Florence E. Rose	Grade 7 and 8, Arithmetic	210 Dutcher Street
Margaret L. Stanas	Kindergarten (½ year)	187 Dutcher Street
Phyllis G. West	Grade 6	337 Hill Street, Whitinsville

MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Robert S. Stevens	Principal	38 Bancroft Park
Frances M. Durgin	Grade 5	118 Dutcher Street
Mildred N. Gilmore	Grade 1	6 Della Street, Milford
Velzora Glenn	Grade 1	5 Howard Street
Regina M. Metcalf	Grade 2	2 Mendon Street
M. Frances Rae	Kindergarten	120 Mill Street
Dorothy P. Scahill	Grade 2	26 Inman Street
Dorothy L. Stanas	Grade 5	57 Bancroft Park
Margaret L. Stanas	Kindergarten	187 Dutcher Street
Marguerite H. Stanas	Grade 4	4 Lower Jones Road
Janet E. Wagman	Grade 5	41 Dutcher Street
Georgia E. Wells	Grade 3	Overdale Parkway

PARK STREET SCHOOL

Robert A. Berquist	Principal
Elsie A. Craib	Grade 1
Iona M. Crowell	Grade 2
M. Cecelia Farrell	Grade 3
Emily H. Shannon	Grade 4

18 Maple Street
West Upton
37 Dutcher Street
105 Dutcher Street
12 Lloyd Street

SUPERVISORS

Barbara B. Baker	Art
Lena Brown	Remedial Reading
F. Carlton Miner	Physical Education
Mary S. Perry	Physical Education
Allegrine G. Reid	Music

West Upton (Box 109)
55 Bancroft Park
48 Hopedale Street
61 Bancroft Park
12 Lloyd Street

SUPERINTENDENT'S SECRETARY

Miriam N. Bullard	Supt's Office
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10 Forest Street, Milford

SCHOOL CUSTODIANS

Charles W. Currie	Memorial School
Kenneth F. Gibbs	Dutcher St. School
Harold S. Goodrich	High School
Thorald J. Wells	Park St. School

81 School Street, Milford
213 South Main Street
Box 126, West Upton
Overdale Parkway

LUNCHROOM PERSONNEL

Frances E. Spear	Cafeteria Manager
Thelma L. Swanson	Cook
Jean C. Fitch	Cafeteria Worker
Lillian M. Hixon	Assistant Cook
Helen E. Moore	Cafeteria Worker
Elizabeth B. Nelson	Cafeteria Worker

34 Dutcher Street
16 Lloyd Street
8 Progress Street
34 Daniels Street
25 Bancroft Park
47 Bancroft Park

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN AND SCHOOL NURSE

John R. Cicchetti, M.D.	School Physician
Grace V. Moran, R.N.	School Nurse

48 Mendon Street
219 Main Street, Milford

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

John W. Hutchinson
Ann P. Thibault
Arthur S. Wilson

50 Freedom Street
5 Lower Jones Road
67 Hartford Avenue

HOPEDALE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

Elsie J. Craib	President
Mary S. Perry	Vice-President
Andree J. Fanning	Secretary
Stanton T. Baker	Treasurer

West Upton
61 Bancroft Park
115 Rebekah St., Woonsocket
Box 109, West Upton

* September - December 1958

** January - June 1959

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1958 - 1959

FALL TERM

September 3, 1958	All schools open
October 13, 1958	Columbus Day—All schools close
November 7, 1958	Worcester County Teachers Convention
November 11, 1958	Veterans' Day—All schools close
November 27-28, 1958	Thanksgiving Recess— All Schools close
December 23, 1958	All Schools Close

FIRST WINTER TERM

January 5, 1959	All schools reopen
February 20, 1959	All schools close

SECOND WINTER TERM

March 2, 1959	All schools reopen
March 27, 1959	Good Friday—All schools close
April 17, 1959	All schools close

SPRING TERM

April 27, 1959	All schools reopen
June 12, 1959	Elementary schools close
June 19, 1959	High school closes

SEVENTY-SECOND ANNUAL
GRADUATION
of the
HOPEDALE HIGH SCHOOL
COMMUNITY HOUSE
WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 11, 1958
AT SEVEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK

PROGRAM

- Processional—Coronation March *Handel*
Allegrine Guez Reid, *Accompanist*
- Music—Black is the Color Appalachian Folk Song
arranged by *Smale*
- Seventy-Six Trombones (from The Music Man)
M. Wilson
arranged by *Stickles*
Velzora Glenn, *Accompanist*
- Roots and Leaves (poem by Walt Whitman)
R. E. Williams
- America—Our Heritage *Steele*

HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS

- Kurt D. Anderson, *Accompanist*; Allegrine G. Reid, *Director*
- Invocation
Reverend John Kohlsaad Hammon
- Today's Graduate Faces the Future
Sally Ann Ward

Help Us to Help Ourselves

Deirdre Louise Corcoran

Address

Doctor Dana M. Cotton

Admissions and Placement Officer, Harvard University

Music—Goodnight, My Someone (from *The Music Man*)

M. Wilson—arranged by *Stickles*

Margaret J. Dowdell, Sandra M. Heron, Joanne S. Lemon

Presentation of Diplomas

Superintendent Donald Sherman Dow

Presentation of Awards

Representatives of Sponsoring Organizations

and

Principal Winburn Albert Dennett '14

Class Song

Music—*Richard M. Farrell* Words—*Deirdre L. Corcoran*

Recessional—Pomp and Circumstance

Allegrine Guez Reid, *Accompanist*

GRADUATES

HOPEDALE HIGH SCHOOL

David Aubrey Allen

Eugene Frederick Bonin

Beverly Ann Boucher

Frank Enman Cardarelli*

Maryellen Louise Cicchetti*

Carol Ann Cooper

Deirdre Louise Corcoran**

Dana Clark Cutter

Margaret Jean Dowdell

Ross Edwin Duffy

Howard Allen Fafard

Richard Matthew Farrell*

Thomas Henry Fitzgerald

Albert Carl Gray

Joanne Lee Guerra

Richard William Hensel

Sandra Mary Heron

Charles Louie Hixon

Anthony Robert Iacovelli

Shirley Ann Johnson**

Richard Patrick Kelley	Barbara Grace Sardell
Joanne Sue Lemon	Lesley Mae Spencer
Brenda Lenore Lewison*	Henry George Stenberg, Jr.
Nancy Ellen Mears*	Maryann Strobeck
Judith Anne Nelson	Leonard Dominic Verrelli
Robert William Noe	Sally Ann Ward**

Vincent Vernon Whyte

** First Honors: 90 or above

* Honors: 85 to 89

CLASS OFFICERS

President	Dana Clark Cutter
Vice-President	Richard Matthew Farrell
Secretary	Sandra Mary Heron
Treasurer	Judith Anne Nelson

Class Motto: Doubting, Searching, Finding

Class Color: Royal Blue

Class Flower: Red Rose

PRIZE AWARDS

Hopedale High School

Hopedale High School Alumni Association
Alumni Scholarship Awards, \$300.00 each
Deirdre L. Corcoran, Richard M. Farrell

Hopedale Community House Woman's Club
Scholarship Award, \$75.00 each
Shirley A. Johnson, Sally A. Ward

American Legion Auxiliary Award, \$25.00 Bond
For good citizenship shown in school Maryellen L. Cicchetti

American Legion Award, \$25.00 Bond
For good citizenship shown in school Henry G. Stenberg, Jr.

Edward Clifton Burnham Award, \$5.00
For excellence in foreign languages Brenda L. Lewison

Raymond Piper Award, \$5.00 each
For excellence in science
Richard M. Farrell, Sally A. Ward

Daughters of the American Revolution
Good citizenship pilgrimage, awarded to the senior
girl outstanding in leadership, dependability,
service, and patriotism Deirdre L. Corcoran

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Medal
For excellence in science and mathematics Richard M. Farrell

Milford Rotary Club Award, \$250.00
Scholarship Deirdre L. Corcoran

Class of 1952 Plaque

Senior who has done most for Hopedale High School

Judith A. Nelson

Hopedale Teachers Association Award, \$50.00

Scholarship

Brenda L. Lewison

Commercial Award, \$5.00

For excellence in commercial subjects

Joanne S. Lemon

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary

Essay Contest

First Prize — \$25.00 Sally A. Ward

Second Prize — \$15.00 Deirdre L. Corcoran

Third Prize — \$10.00 Margaret J. Dowdell

Lloyd A. Fitzgerald '22 Plaque

Given to that student exhibiting outstanding
 accomplishments in Athletics and
 Scholarship, and the qualities of a
 gentleman

Albert C. Gray

Bausch and Lomb Medal

For excellence in science

Sally A. Ward

Class of 1956 Award \$5.00

For excellence in social studies

Deirdre L. Corcoran

Charles J. Tasker Memorial Scholarship—\$150.00

Given to that student who has shown the
 greatest scholastic improvement and
 exhibited an outstanding character
 as well

Maryellen L. Cicchetti

Grand Lodge, Sons of Italy—\$350.00

Scholarship

Richard M. Farrell

HOPEDALE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

American Legion School Award Medals

For Boys	John N. Grady
For Girls	Joan Cicchetti

REGULATIONS OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

No pupil may enter the kindergarten unless he will be five years old on or before December 31. New pupils will be registered in May.

No pupil may enter grade one unless he will be six years old on or before December 31.

When a pupil first enters the public schools of the Town of Hopedale he must present a birth certificate and a vaccination certificate.

Any pupil who has been out of school on account of any contagious disease shall not return to school unless he has secured from the attending physician, or the school physician, or his representative, a health certificate stating that all danger of contagion is over.

The No-School Signal is 2-2-2-2. When the No-School Signal is sounded at 7:15 A.M., it closes all schools for all day. When the No-School Signal is sounded at 7:30 A.M., it closes the kindergarten and grades one through six all day, but the junior and senior high schools will be in session. When the No-School Signal is sounded at 12:30 P.M., it closes the kindergarten and grades one through six for the afternoon. An effort will be made to have the signal announced on Radio Stations WMRC, WTAG, WBZ, and WKOX.

AGE - GRADE TABLE OF ENROLLMENT
OCTOBER 1, 1958

AGE GRADE	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Tot.
K	17	63	2													82
I		14	74	2	1											91
II			16	58	5											79
III				12	55	10	1									78
IV					4	43	10									57
V						15	48	14	1							78
VI							20	48	14	2						84
VII								18	44	14	1	1				78
VIII									13	34	5	5		1		58
IX										8	37	12	1	1		59
X											4	47	9	1		61
XI												2	28	4		34
XII													4	23	1	28
Totals	17	77	92	72	65	68	79	80	72	58	47	67	42	30	1	867

Schools	Total Enrollment		Aggregate Attendance	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Net Average Membership	Enrollment Oct. 1, 1957		Enrollment by Ages October 1, 1957						Per cent of Attendance
	Boys	Girls					Boys	Girls	Under 5	5 - 7	7 - 14	14 - 16	16 - 21	Over 21	
High School	89	84	28992	162	168	165	89	84			4	100	68	1	96
Dutcher St. School															
Grade 8-J	16	13	4664	27	28	27	16	13			22	6	1		96
Grade 8-I	15	13	4537	26	28	27	15	13			23	3	2		94
Grade 7-B	17	12	4706	27	29	27	16	12			28				96
Grade 7-R	17	13	4745	28	29	29	16	13			26	3			95
Grade 6-M	18	24	6796	40	41	40	18	24			42				96
Grade 6-W	27	16	6762	39	41	39	26	16			41	1			95
Memorial School															
Grade 5-C	11	14	3854	22	24	24	11	14			25				93
Grade 5-S	12	15	4397	26	27	27	12	15			27				95
Grade 5-W	11	15	4119	24	25	25	11	15			26				95
Grade 4-P	20	20	6312	37	39	38	20	19			39				94
Grade 3-W	14	13	4317	25	26	26	13	12			25				95
Grade 2-S	18	9	3824	22	24	24	17	9		5	21				90
Grade 2-M	17	10	3990	23	25	24	17	9		6	20				91
Grade 1-G	15	12	3894	23	25	25	14	12		25	1				89
Grade 1-N	13	13	3841	22	25	25	13	11		22	2				91
Kindergarten (R)	23	21	6197	36	42	42	23	21	5	39					86
Kindergarten (S)	27	20	6165	26	42	40	24	19	7	36					86
Park St. School															
Grade 4-S	17	23	6129	36	38	38	17	23			40				91
Grade 3-F	11	18	4482	26	29	29	10	18			28				91
Grade 2-C	14	15	4271	25	28	27	14	15		2	27				89
Grade 1-C	12	16	4330	25	28	27	12	16		27	1				93
Totals	434	409	131324	747	811	795	424	403	12	162	468	113	71	1	93

Seventy-Third Annual Report
of
The Bancroft Memorial Library
Hopedale, Massachusetts
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958
1958

Trustees

HENRY BILLINGS, 2nd, Chairman	Term expires 1959
ROBERT WHITMAN	Term expires 1960
JEANNE B. AMMEN	Term expires 1961

Librarian

IRENE H. FERGUSON, September, 1953

Children's Librarian

MARJORIE E. HATTERSLEY

Part Time Assistants

Constance L. Clark	Leola W. Stearns	Annie K. Slaney
Brenda Lewison		

SOUTH HOPEDALE BRANCH

Librarian

CONSTANCE G. JONES, February, 1949

Janitor

GERALD M. DEE

THE BANCROFT MEMORIAL LIBRARY
FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 1958

Receipts:

General Appropriation	\$ 7,500.00	
Dog Tax	560.87	
	<hr/>	\$ 8,060.87

Income From Funds:

Bancroft Fund	\$ 69.86	
Sarah M. Whipple Fund	34.94	
Bancroft—Day Fund (Lura Bancroft Day)	169.19	
Bancroft—Day Fund (Ruth Day Williams)	713.02	
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	626.66	
Frances E. Coburn Fund	314.26	
Anna M., Lilla B., and Lura B. Bancroft Fund	313.25	
Beatrice Robinson Billings Fund ..	110.00	
Balance 1956	102.72	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,453.90
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		\$10,514.77

Income From Funds:

1958 Income, per Statement	\$ 2,314.68	
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1957 Income, Unspent Balance	619.92	
		\$ 2,934.60
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		\$11,045.69

Expenditures:

From Appropriations:

Books	\$ 780.15	
Periodicals	193.80	
Salaries	4,750.99	
Heating	220.94	
Lighting	243.85	
Building Repairs	1,636.41	
Telephone	68.87	
Miscellaneous	216.08	
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		\$ 8,111.09

From Funds and Interest:

Books	\$ 279.15	
Periodicals	69.35	
Salaries	1,699.96	
Heating	79.06	
Lighting	87.25	
Building Repairs	585.52	
Telephone	24.64	
Miscellaneous	77.32	
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		\$ 2,902.25
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		\$11,013.34

Balance, December 31, 1958 from

Funds	\$ 32.35	
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		\$11,045.69

STATEMENT OF FUNDS

NAME	DONOR	Date	Purpose	Principal of Funds	Balance Income Dec. 31 1957	Income 1958	Expended 1958	Balance Dec. 31 1958
Bancroft Fund	Joseph B. Bancroft and Sylvia W. Bancroft \$1000 Joseph B. Bancroft \$1000	Sept. 11 1897 Mar. 9 1910	Books	\$ 2,286.00	\$ 15.90	\$ 69.04	\$ 84.94	.....
Sarah M. Whipple Fund	Lilla Bancroft Bracken	Oct. 3 1913	Juvenile Books	1,143.00	7.95	34.52	42.47	.....
Bancroft-Day Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	July 28 1914		5,535.66	38.49	167.19	205.68	.....
Bancroft-Day Fund	Ruth Day Williams	July 1 1926		23,329.29	162.23	704.58	866.81	.....
Joseph B. and Sylvia W. Bancroft Fund	Lura Bancroft Day	Oct. 28 1914	Decided by	20,503.75	142.58	619.25	761.83	.....
Frances E. Colburn Fund	Frances E. Colburn	Jan. 16 1916	Trustees	10,282.38	71.50	310.54	382.04	.....
Ann M., Lilla B., and Lura B. Bancroft Fund	Anna M. Bancroft	Oct. 22 1943		10,249.64	71.27	309.56	380.83	.....
Beatrice Robinson Billings Fund	Harry A. Billings	Oct. 3 1951	Books		110.00	100.00	177.65	32.35
Totals				73,329.72	619.92	2,314.68	2,902.25	32.35

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

The Librarian respectfully submits the seventy-third annual report.

During the past year 1958, The Bancroft Memorial Library and its Branch at South Hopedale have continued to maintain their high level of service to the citizens of Hopedale. There has been an increase of 2,043 over last year in the number of volumes loaned to the public. The total circulation figures for the year are 40,892 as against 38,849 for 1957.

Not only has our circulation grown but there has also been a decided increase in the use of our reference collection. Information that we could not supply from our books we have obtained from larger libraries or Interlibrary Loan. We have answered countless questions over the telephone asked by people who could not come to the library. Information given by us this way is an important service that the library can render to the town.

Mr. Harry A. Billings, our senior trustee, a member of the board since 1922, tendered his resignation the first of this year. We were extremely sorry to lose this conscientious member of our board, since he had become very closely identified over the years with all that The Bancroft Memorial Library stands for. Mrs. Jeanne B. Ammen, a graduate of Simmons College and a former Librarian, was elected to the board. We of the staff are very happy to have Mrs. Ammen as our new member.

The Children's Room is one of the busiest departments of the library. It is said that "Not only are children reading more today than they ever did before, but also more children are reading." Much care is given in the selection of the books for this department and on the shelves may be found books for every type of child. Again this year the Children's Library awarded certificates to the boys and girls in the elementary schools who made reports on books read from their State Read-

ing Lists. 26 Honor certificates, 144 five-book certificates were awarded. Children from the third grade under the guidance of their teacher, Mrs. Cecelia Farrell, made several visits to the Children's Room. Many who had not been in the library before took out cards at this time. We recall a quotation beginning "As the twig is bent" and it reminds us that this early acquaintance with books will help to make adult readers. There were eight story hours held this year. Story tellers were Mrs. Mary Norman, Librarian from the Uxbridge Library, Mrs. Hazel Forsberg, Librarian from the Upton Library, Mrs. Leola Stearns and Mrs. Marjorie Hattersley from our own Library.

The Drama and Literature Committee of the Hopedale Community House Woman's Club sponsored another book contest under the chairmanship of Mrs. Annie Slaney. At the meeting of the club the winners from grades 5 and 6 were presented with books as a reward for their excellent book reports. The winners were Donna Apicella, June Saravara, June Geake, Brenda Tingley and Joanne Brown.

In the spring the Freshman class under the supervision of Miss Frances Holmes, English teacher, came to the library to acquaint themselves with the resources of the Reference Room, the use of the card catalog and Readers' Guide to Periodicals.

The first National Library Week was observed in March. This event is sponsored by the National Book Committee in cooperation with the American Library Association and it will be a yearly affair. It is devoted to the importance of reading in American life and to the importance of libraries of all kinds, public schools and libraries maintained by individuals in their own homes. This library had on display over 100 new books in the Food Center Store, which attracted the attention of many people. We also had Mr. Thomas E. Galvin, librarian at Marblehead, address the members of the Sophomore and Junior classes at the General Draper High School on "The Librarian, A Challenge and Opportunity." Mr. Galvin, a graduate of Simmons College and Columbia University, presented his facts

relative to the need for more librarians, the opportunities available to the professional librarian at the present time.

Exhibits have been featured; these have brought to the attention of the public services of the library. Blue Birds under the direction of Mrs. Paul Roberts, exhibited articles made by themselves. Leigh Allen, Kurt Anderson, Donald Moore and Roland Boucher displayed their Science projects. Art Week, Mrs. Richard Kearsley and her committee, made some beautiful flower arrangements and Mrs. Paul Grant showed some of her oil paintings of flowers. In October the Hopedale Community Historical Society held its first annual exhibition in the library. In spite of the time and effort required on the part of Mr. Gordon Norton and his committee the exhibit seems to have been eminently worthwhile in calling the public attention to "Old Hopedale" and the Historical Society.

According to the Library Journal statistics approximately one-third of all books published are paperback. Many libraries are using them, so is Hopedale. Our thanks to Mrs. Henry Billings for donating and collecting over three hundred of them. The first month we had them 214 went in to circulation.

The library has been very fortunate this year in receiving many gifts of books and magazines for which we are very grateful. Thanks to the Hopedale Garden Club for the lovely evergreens and flowering shrubs that are growing so beautifully beside the fountain. To Mr. Harry Billings, Sr. for his continuation of the Beatrice Billings' Fund which provides books for the children we are so grateful. To Temple Flowers and all others that have given us flower arrangements or flowers to brighten our library we do say thank you.

All told, we feel that we can look back upon a successful year. Although we still have projects unrealized for the improvement of the library, it does seem that we are accomplishing a few things. And things as yet undone can always be made to serve as a spur to our future activities.

In closing, this my final report to the Board of Trustees and to the town, I wish to express my deep appreciation for all the kindness, counsel and support that I have received from the Library Board, for the loyalty and help of my Library Staff, and for the kindness and friendliness that has been shown me through the years by so very many of the library patrons.

Respectfully submitted,

IRENE H. FERGUSON,

Librarian.

STATISTICAL REPORT
ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

Name of Library	The Bancroft Memorial Library
Town	Hopedale, Massachusetts
Population served (town census 1958)	4,018
Number of days open during the year (Main Library)	273
Hours for lending (Main Library)	30 per week

INCREASE

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes at beginning of year	16,723	3,466	20,189
Number of volumes added in 1958	367	117	484
Number of volumes withdrawn in 1958	351	52	403
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Total number of volumes, December 31, 1958	16,739	3,531	20,270
Number of newspapers currently received			3
Number of periodicals currently received			50

USE

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Volumes of fiction circulated in 1958	12,957	12,631	25,588
Volumes of non-fiction circulated in 1958	7,031	5,006	12,037
Circulation at Branch	1,871	1,396	3,267
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Total circulation	21,859	19,033	40,892

* School circulation included

REGISTRATION

Number of new borrowers registered in 1958	147 at Main Library 19 at Branch
Number of persons using reading and reference rooms	2,584
Fines and collections paid to Town Treasurer, Alfred A. Lovejoy, Jr.	\$141.91

GROWTH, SIZE AND USE OF LIBRARY, 1958

	Volumes Added	Volumes Withdrawn	Total Vol. in Library at end of 1958	Vol. Cir. Hopedale	So. Hopedale
Fiction	191	317	5,727	12,957	1,338
Juvenile Fiction ..	86	39	2,538	*12,631	974
Juvenile					
Non-Fiction	31	13	993	*5,006	422
Periodicals	2	.....	1,662	2,875	323
Pamphlets .....		.....		7	.....
General	33	.....	118	65	7
Philosophy .....		.....	221	45	5
Religion	4	1	358	84	29
Sociology	9	2	609	269	2
Philology .....		.....	52	.....
Natural Science ..	9	3	358	264	23
Useful Arts	22	11	802	383	32
Fine Arts	17	12	517	445	25
Literature	12	2	1,470	519	16
Foreign Languages .....		.....	181	30	3
Travel	11	1	984	502	13
Biography	12	.....	1,401	686	18
History	19	2	1,162	857	37
Reference	26	.....	1,036	.....	.....
Curiosities .....		.....	81	.....	.....
	484	403	20,270	37,625	3,267

* Includes school circulation

GIFTS

	Vol.	Mag.	Pam.	Per.
Amercian Legion, Hopedale				1
Ammen, Mrs. Irvin G.	91			1
Anonymous	3			
Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. ..		10		
Billings, Mrs. Henry 2nd		9		1
Bracewell, Mrs. Russell S.	198	410		
Bragg, Mr. Ernest	2			
Butterworth, Mr. C. F.		9		
Childs, Mrs. L. C.		10		
Christian Science Church, Milford				2
Dennison Mfg. Co.	1			
Douglas, Mrs. Frederic E.		15		
Draper, Mr. Charles H.	34			
Draper Corporation	2			
Elks, Order of, Milford				1
First National Stores				1
Ford Foundation Annual Report	1			
Gaskill, Mrs. Millard	6			
Grange, Local				1
Gritte, Mr. Joseph M.	1			
Heritage Foundation, Inc.	1			
Hoberg, Mr. and Mrs. Carl	1			
Hopedale Branch General Alliance				1
Jones, Captain R. Lloyd	1			
Lacey, Miss Harel	17	9		
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of	8			
Milford Daily News				1
N. Y. Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution	1			

N. Y. Life Insurance Co.	1	
Pfizer, Charles & Co., Inc.	1	
Postal Service News		1
Rosary Sodality, Sacred Heart Church		1
Ryan, H. C. Motor Sales Co.		1
Salmond, Miss Ruth	2	
Seavey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B.	1	
Standard Oil Co. of N. J.	1	
Stenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Henry G.	3	18
Tegarden, Mrs. Alma W.	3	
Temple Flowers		1
Tift, Mrs. Emerson B.		1
University of Massachusetts, Extension Service		12
Union Evangelical Church		1
United States Government		25
Vedanta Centre		1
Wiesenberger, Arthur & Co.	1	
Worcester County Extension Serv.		1

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